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THREE FIREMEN HURT.

Expensive Blaze at an Omaha Manufacturing Plant Endangers Many Lives.

OMAHA, NEB., Dec. 1.—Fire, which started at 9:30 o'clock tonight in the local supply house of the Creamery Manufacturing company at Eleventh and Jones streets, resulted in serious injury to three firemen and a loss of $75,000.

The injured are Lieut. M. J. Cuff, engine company No. 1, taken out unconscious, left shoulder broken, badly burned about body, may die; Fireman George Trexler, face burned, arm dislocated; J. Greenman, pipeman, face and hands burned.

The accident was caused by a falling wall. Cuff was buried beneath the debris, but two of his comrades heroically ran into the burning structure and pulled him out.

The building was five stories high, and it was feared for a time that the flames would spread to a large gas tank and adjoining buildings, and a general alarm was turned in. It was confined to the Creamery Package building, however.

TONGUE MADE TROUBLE.

Man Who Threatened the President Held in $800 Bail for Trial.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—A. H. Mueller, the man arrested Saturday evening at Broad and Chestnut streets, charged with having declared that President Roosevelt should be served the same as was McKinley, was today held in $800 bail for court for disturbing the peace. At the hearing before Magistrate Kochernberger at the city hall Mueller had nothing to say, but declared that he was not responsible on Saturday for using the words imputed to him. He stated that he had boarded several weeks at No. 1305 Vine street and had previously been a machinist in Wilmington, Del.

Mueller was arrested on complaint of F. T. Tobin, who claimed to have heard him use the threatening language. Tobin said today that the remark was made in the Hotel Lafayette, at the time the president was looking at the football game in West Philadelphia.

At Mueller's boarding place it was stated that he had always conducted himself in a quiet and orderly manner. He is said to have been out of employment for some time.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

YESTERDAY'S LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

8 a. m.	52	8:18 p. m.	52
12 noon	53	Maximum	60
2 p. m.	60	Minimum	51
5 p. m.	58	Mean	48

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—Forecast for Monday and Tuesday:

West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Showers and colder Monday. Tuesday, fair, except snow flurries along the lakes; fresh to brisk northwesterly winds along the lakes.

Observations taken at 8 p. m. at the various weather bureau stations:

Pittsburgh	52 Clear	Chicago	50 Rain
Columbus	52 Clear	Washington	46 Clear
Indianapolis	54 Cloudy	Philadelphia	44 Clear
Cincinnati	54 Clear	Cleveland	54 Clear
Parkersburg	52 Clear	New York	44 Clear
Buffalo	50 Clear	Atlanta	56 Clear
Louisville	50 Cloudy	San Antonio	60 Pt.dy
Memphis	58 Pt.dy	Marquette	30 Cloudy
Kansas City	40 Cloudy	Denver	44 Clear
St. Louis	58 Cloudy	New Orleans	64 Cloudy

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
Prawle Point	H. H. Meier	
Lizard	Southwark	
Queenstown	Iernia	
Antwerp	Vaderland	Vancouver.
Liverpool	Etruria	
Rues	Hyson	Lucania.
New York	Croatia	
New York	La Gascogne	
New York	Minneapolis	
New York	Pallatia	
New York	Potsdam	
New York	Umbria	

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—"Floradora," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Watch On the Rhine," 8:15 p. m.

GRAND—"A Temperance Town," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Mamselle 'Awkins," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—The Svengalis, 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Rose Hill English Folly Company, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating, afternoon and evening.

SENATOR QUAY ON ELKIN'S CANDIDACY

JOHN P. ELKIN NEED BE IN NO GREAT HASTE

Senator M. S. Quay Says That There Must Be No Courting of Defeat in the Next State Campaign.

THE VETERAN LEADER HAS NAMED NO FAVORITE

Congressmen and Others High in the Councils of the Party Say That Governor's Action in Removing Maj. Brown Has Shut Out All Connected With Stone.

SEVERAL POSSIBILITIES ARE BEING TALKED OVER

Quay Thinks Elkin Had Better Wait.

At the present time I do not believe it would be wise to nominate Mr. Elkin for governor, but the situation may be different next summer. Mr. Elkin is too loyal a Republican, too staunch in his support of the organization and too young a man to be nominated when there is a possibility that he might be defeated. He can afford to wait and be nominated when his election is certain. It would not do to mar his political record by an early defeat.—Senator M. S. Quay.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.

The above statement was made by Senator Quay to Representative Cassel of Lancaster county. The senator has been busy recently receiving his political colleagues and friends. The Republican representatives in congress from Pennsylvania, as soon as they arrive here and have located for the session, make their first call upon the senator at his home in K street. Their mission is two-fold—first, to ascertain physically, and, secondly, to discuss the condition of the party in the state and the probable candidate for governor since the betrayal of the party into the hands of the Flinn-J. O. Brown crowd by Gov. Stone.

Senator Quay is still having trouble with that cough, notwithstanding the promise of his specialist to cure it before congress convenes. While the senator is physically able to attend to all of his duties during the day, it is at night that he is most seriously troubled, and as a consequence he obtains only about one night's sleep in three. He is now seriously considering the advisability of leaving for Florida and there endeavor to conquer the malady.

Cameron Wants Watres.

In regard to the nomination of John P. Elkin for governor, the senator was noncommittal to the majority of his callers, contenting himself with gaining an expression of opinion. To Representative Cassel, however, he was more communicative.

In reply to an inquiry by Mr. Cassel regarding the identity of the man who would be nominated for governor, if Mr. Elkin was not, the Senator replied: "I do not know. Don Cameron, however, is urging the nomination of ex-Lieutenant Governor Watres. Don does not wish the nomination himself, but he does want Watres nominated. It is too early yet to ascertain the wishes of all the party leaders on the subject."

Peter Hughes of Philadelphia, the press agent of the Watres boom, is here looking after the interests of his candidate. He told the writer that he believed that within the next three weeks ex-Senator Cameron, Senator Quay and others of the leaders would come out publicly in favor of the nomination of Mr. Watres.

Tonight Senator Quay is in conference with a party of Philadelphia leaders composed of Senator Penrose, Representative Bingham, Commissioner Israel Durham, Clayton J. Erb and J. C. Perry. All denied that there was any politics in the conference, and Mr. Durham stated that it was the very first time that he had seen Senator Quay since the recent election. It is very probable, however, that the conference was in regard to the coming campaign in the state.

Penrose Comes First.

While the Philadelphians are all friends of John P. Elkin and expect to give him the delegates from the city if he is a candidate before the convention, their first love is Senator Penrose and their first interest is to bring about his re-election to the senate. They believe that Mr. Elkin can easily be elected governor, but they are inclined to believe that his nomination might result in the loss of certain legislative districts that would not be lost if any other man was nominated. In this emergency they are hoping that Mr. Elkin will relieve them by voluntarily withdrawing from the contest.

The general feeling among the Pennsylvania politicians seems to be decidedly against the nomination of Mr. Elkin. Nearly all of the recognized leaders of the party, with the exception of Representative Graham of Allegheny, have severely criticized the action of the governor in removing Maj. A. M. Brown as recorder. Not a few of them expressed the greatest surprise over his act and freely predicted that by so doing he had dug his political grave. All were of the opinion that the governor had only injured himself by his act and that the organization would be stronger than ever with his elimination from the inner circle. As is to be expected, all of the callers desired to know from the senator himself his opinion of the removal of Recorder A. M. Brown and his effect upon the future.

The senator reiterated what he stated in The Gazette the day after the removal, that he had done all in his power to prevent the removal of Maj. Brown and was not a party to the act of the governor. Furthermore, he frankly stated that he could not divine the effect of the act upon the welfare of the party, but was inclined to believe that it would be injurious. It could not be otherwise, in his opinion. He declined, however, at the present time, to outline the plans for the coming campaign, and he resolutely declined to commit himself in favor of any candidate for nomination on the state ticket next year.

Many of his callers, thereupon, took occasion to enter their protest against the nomination of Attorney General Elkin for governor by the next convention. They took the ground that the nominee for the head of the ticket next year must not be a man connected with Gov. Stone's administration. Some of them urged that if Mr. Elkin had immediately resigned when Maj. Brown was removed he would have made himself popular with the rank and file of the organization and would have carried off the nomination easily, but his failure to do so they believed had injured his chances materially. It was also urged that the campaign next year would be a most important one and that the ticket should be headed not only by a loyal Republican, but by one who could bring to the ticket votes that could not be reached by Mr. Elkin.

Several Possibilities Discussed.

Mr. Elkin, it was said, had no strength of his own beyond the fact that he had always been a loyal organization man. Representative Connell was said to be too old and in addition had an opponent from his own county, Lackawanna, in the person of ex-Lieut. Gov. Watres, and the candidacy of the latter was criticised because of the allegation that he also, like Mr. Connell, had been on both sides of the political fence during recent years. There was some sentiment in favor of ex-Senator Cameron, but this was not strong owing to the fact that he is said not to wish the nomination. At the same time no one in particular urged the nomination of Representative Olmsted of Harrisburg.

There were a number who believed that Gen. Charles Miller of Franklin would make a strong candidate and could be elected, but it was said that Gen. Miller was not a candidate and would not be one under any circumstances. Some of the callers believed that in Representative Sibley a very strong candidate could be found. It was pointed out that he would have the loyal support of the organization and, in addition, would draw to the ticket votes from the laboring men and farmers that could not be secured by any other candidate mentioned. Mr. Sibley's ability as a campaigner was pointed out, and it was asserted that he would be as strong in the state as he had been in the congressional districts that he had carried for congress.

Representative Mahon had a number of friends among the callers, and it was argued that he would make a splendid compromise candidate on whom all could unite. He is liked by all, is an old soldier, is a loyal organization man and is popular among the farmers. He is now serving his fifth term in congress from a country district, something unusual, especially in Pennsylvania.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

NEEDS MORE SOLDIERS.

Austrian Emperor Asks for One Hundred Additional Battalions.

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—A council of Austro-Hungarian ministers held Saturday, at which Emperor Francis Joseph presided, discussed a proposal to increase the standing army of Austria-Hungary by 100 battalions.

The measure was declared to be imperative in order to enable the nation to maintain its position in the triple alliance. The ministers of finance raised objections to the proposed increase and no decision was reached, although the proposal was generally favored.

WANTED—MORE PLUMS.

ONE FAMILY LOSES FIVE MEMBERS IN A FIRE AT ALTOONA

Only the Father Survives and He Is Seriously Burned.

HOME RUINED AT NIGHT

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.)

ALTOONA, PA., Dec. 1.—A family burned to death, save the father—and he in the hospital with serious burns—is the result of a fire that broke out in the residence of Carl W. Burke, in the suburbs of this city, this morning about 1 o'clock.

The Dead:

MRS. MARY D. BURKE, mother, aged 42 years.
ADAM GUSTAVE BURKE, aged 16 years.
MARY E. BURKE, aged 13 years.
JOANNA BURKE, aged 11 years.
JOSEPH VIVTOR BURKE, aged 8 years.

The injured man is Carl W. Burke, aged 41 years, in the hospital here with serious burns on the back and head.

The Burke family resided in a two-story frame dwelling near Gwin station, a suburb, on the "Wopsy" railroad. Mr. Burke, after fixing things in the house for the night, went to bed, leaving the lamp burning for the son, who is employed in the Altoona opera house as a stage hand. Neither the father, and, as far as is known, did any other member of the family, hear the son come in. About 1:30 this morning Mr. Burke was awakened by his wife, who said she smelled smoke. When he opened the door at the foot of the stairway he found the kitchen a mass of flames.

Before he could close the door again, Mr. Burke's clothing caught fire and he was compelled to make a dash for the outside, and here he rolled in the snow to extinguish the flames. He called to Mrs. Burke to rouse the remainder of the family. Mrs. Burke told him to save the furniture and she would get the children out. Before he could do anything toward saving either furniture or family, the whole house was in a blaze and the wife and children imprisoned in the upper part of the building.

Burke hurried to the nearest neighbors and aroused them, asking them to help him save his family. When they arrived Mrs. Burke was at one of the windows, her hair singed and her face nearly black from the flames. In her arms she held one of the younger children. While the rescuing party was using its best efforts to get her from the building, she disappeared from view and was seen no more alive.

The son Adam had evidently been at home for some time, as he was in bed and asleep when the fire started. How the fire originated is a mystery. From appearance it seemed to have started from an overheated stove in the kitchen. It is also thought that the son Adam left the lamp lighted and it was overturned by the family dog.

As rapidly as the flames died away the search of the ruins for the remains began by the neighbors. On account of the intense heat, however, kept them back until toward daylight, when they succeeded in getting the charred bodies out of the ruins. The bodies were brought to this city and taken to an undertaker's establishment, from which place they will be buried tomorrow.

The testimony before the coroner's jury is substantially as related above and throws no light on the origin of the blaze. The inquest will be continued tomorrow evening. The loss on the building and contents will reach $2,000.

WILL IGNORE STRIKERS.

Operators of the Ragleyville Coal Mines in Indiana Expect to Resume Operations Today.

WASHINGTON, IND., Dec. 1.—There is very little change at the three Ragleyville coal mines, which were closed by the 200 marchers from Montgomery and Cannelsburg Saturday morning because the employers were non-union men. Many of the marchers have camped at the scene and they will not allow the miners to resume operations until the men shall join the union and receive scale wages.

Several of the miners agreed today to join the union, but the others refused. The operators of the three mines are preparing to begin operations tomorrow morning at the regular time in spite of the threats of the marching delegation. They have not asked aid of the sheriff, and claim there will be no trouble from those men who participated in the trouble at Prospect Hill mine last week.

RAILWAY PLAN TO BE OPPOSED

South American Republics May Not Guarantee Neutrality.

COLOMBIA'S PLICHT AN OBJECT LESSON

They Consider It an Abdication of Their National Sovereignty.

WORK OF COMMITTEES

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 1.—The duration of the Pan-American congress will depend on the opposition which the reports of the several committees will encounter in the plenary session. Senator Davis' Pan-American railway project will come up this week. The clause declaring the neutrality of the road will meet with sharp opposition from some of the South Americans. One of them said today to the Associated Press correspondent:

"This is a thing which we will never countenance. We have an object lesson of the full import of such a declaration in the predicament of Colombia, who, by reason of her having subscribed to such an agreement with respect to the Pan-American railroad, is inhibited from using that road for the transportation of her own troops to suppress a rebellion. Such a declaration is tantamount to abdication of national sovereignty."

The same delegate told the correspondent that some of the South Americans would decline to assent to a proposal which it is understood will be introduced by the United States delegation to the effect that the nations represented at the Conference favor the construction, operation and policing of an inter-oceanic canal under United States control. The opposition will be based on the ground that countries other than those whose territory the canal will pass have nothing to do with the matter.

Minor projects in regard to literary relations will be discussed at tomorrow's session.

Martin Garcia Merou, one of Argentine's delegates, who is also minister of his country at Washington, has departed for his post in that city.

The committee on resources and statistics of the Pan-American conference has finished its work by adopting the recommendations of C. M. Pepper of the United States delegation. In addition to his remarks on the gathering of statistics, Mr. Pepper makes the following recommendations:

Under the general head of resources, information might be gathered in regard to irrigation, existing methods of transportation and existing means of communication; also the establishment of permanent expositions of the products of the various countries in their own capitals and in such other countries as may be deemed advisable.

The Philadelphia commercial museum furnishes the best basis on which this idea may be developed. The great desideratum seems to be to secure, not only the latest, but the fullest and most reliable, data and statistics of production from original sources.

The direct and constant communication with the various governments through such a central agency as the bureau of American republics seems the best way.

For the sake of uniformity Mr. Pepper recommends the use in statistics, as far as possible, of the decimal metric system, their equivalents being given in local weights or measures if desired.

Early Morning Blaze.

Shortly after 2 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the temporary engine house of the new addition to the Westinghouse building, Ninth street. An overheated stack was the cause, and for a time it was thought the fire had spread to the main building, but the prompt work of the fire department prevented this. The damage will scarcely be over $2x.

A Good Settlement.

In Meriden, Conn., the following settlement, which shows dividend results that cannot be excelled, was made by the Mutual Life: Original insurance, $1,000; amount of claim paid, $2,218. First Nat'l Bank Bldg.

HEROIC WORK SAVED MANY LIVES IN WRECK ON SAN FRANCISCO BAY

Brave Fireman Prevents Explosion by Diving Into the Fireroom.

FOUR PASSENGERS LOST

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—Up to this evening it is positively known that three persons lost their lives in the collision off Alcatraz island last evening between the ferryboats San Rafael and Sausalito. They are W. G. Crandall, secretary of the Long Syrup Refining Company; George Tredway, a waiter on the San Rafael, and the 4-year-old son of Charles Waller. Crandall was drowned and his body was recovered at Angel Island this morning. The waiter was crushed to death. The Waller child was with his mother and little sister Ruth on the San Rafael. The girl was safely carried from the San Rafael to the Sausalito when the two steamers were locked together. Mrs. Waller had the little boy in her arms when the sinking steamer gave a sudden lurch, and the little fellow was thrown from her arms and sank out of sight.

In the panic that followed after the boats collided about 20 passengers were more or less injured. A great many were cut when crawling through the cabin windows.

Tredway was pinioned by the splintering timbers when the Sausalito struck, and after some difficulty was extricated. He was hurried to the upper deck of the injured vessel and that was the last seen of him, according to the survivors.

Of the many heroic stories told in connection with the accident notably is the one relating to Fireman Gielow, of the Sausalito. As the San Rafael was sinking it was remembered that her fires were still buring and her boilers still hot. There was immediate danger of a terrible explosion that would have rent both vessels asunder. Without a moment's hesitation Gielow volunteered to dive into the hull and shut off the steam. Diving through the submerged boiler room he reached the valves and shut off the steam, coming out half suffocated.

James S. McCue, a well-known horseman and old time circus man, who lives at Corte Madera, was probably the most seriously injured of the survivors. He was in the restaurant of the San Rafael at the time of the collision, and was thrown across the room with considerable violence. He had his right arm broken, his right ear almost torn from his head, and sustained internal injuries.

TERRORIZED A TOWN.

Negro Shoots Two Police Officers and a Bystander in West Chester, Pa.

WEST CHESTER, PA., Dec. 1.—James Williams, a negro, ran along one of the principal streets today firing a pistol, causing all pedestrians to flee. Chief of Police Jeffers attempted to arrest him and received a shot in the shoulder. Officer Baltin was shot in the abdomen and James Coburn, an onlooker, was shot in the leg.

Williams was subsequently captured and locked up. None of those shot sustained serious injuries.

Miss Ellen Stone's Brother Asks Action Against Turkey.

HAVERHILL, MASS., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Perley A. Stone of this city, a brother of Miss Ellen Stone, held captive by the Bulgarian brigands, said that he believed the time had come for action by our government. He believed that the idea of ransom should be abandoned and a demonstration by our fleet should at once be made with a demand that Turkey secure the captives and turn them over to the United States authorities. Any other action than this he believed to be a waste of time and dangerous.

CELESTIALS WILL DEMAND FREE ENTRY

CHINESE WILL FIGHT AGAINST EXCLUSION ACT

Headed by the Six Companies Determined Stand Will Be Made in Congress Against Re-Enactment.

MEETINGS OF CHINESE HELD HERE YESTERDAY

Funds Will Be Collected to Do Battle Against Special Legislation Against Their Countrymen, Who Want to Come to America.

$20,000 WILL BE RAISED BY LOCAL CHINESE

Organizing to Oppose Exclusion Law.

The Chinese citizens of this country will make a desperate effort to prevent the re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion act at the next session of congress. Under the direction of the Six Companies, the big Chinese corporation, those of the race now in America are preparing plans to defeat the law when it is brought up. A well-attended meeting of the Chinese citizens of this vicinity was held here yesterday, and arrangements made for raising the necessary funds. Another and larger meeting will be held in the near future.

The Chinamen of this city are determined to make every effort to prevent the re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion act at the next session of congress. There was a meeting of the Chinamen of this city and the surrounding towns yesterday to take action toward raising money to push the cause against excluding their countrymen. Que Wong Lee of San Francisco, a representative of the members of the Six Companies, who are raising money for this purpose, was in the city yesterday. It was learned from him and Yee Chin of No. 445 Water street that the Chinamen of this city would raise $20,000 to fight the re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion act. There were over 400 Chinamen in this city in attendance at the meetings.

Several representatives of the Six Companies will arrive in this city in about ten days. Meetings will be held and the effort will be made to have each Chinaman contribute $50 for the cause.

"The Chinamen will make their fight on a commercial principle rather than on a moral basis. It is their intention to employ attorneys and prepare petitions to be presented in congress to prevent the re-enactment of this legislation. When the members of the Six Companies arrive in this city they will hold several conventions for the purpose of raising money.

It is not the intention of the Chinamen of this city to work in co-operation with the churches which are making opposition to the legislation for them. The Chinese merchants are going to make an independent fight. Their argument will be for the purpose of increasing the commercial relations with China.

Many Attended Meeting.

Early yesterday morning the Chinamen from Greensburg, Latrobe, Washington and throughout the surrounding boroughs of this city came here to attend the meetings.

The largest meeting was held in the store of the firm of Quong On Wah, at No. 445 Water street. During the day hundreds of Chinese visited this place and declared their intention to lend their aid to have the Chinese exclusion act abolished. It was learned by the Gazette reporter last night at this establishment that they would contribute liberally for the purpose.

Those were addressed at the meetings by Que Wong Lee. He told them of the movement that would be made at the next session of congress to have the exclusion act abolished. He also explained to them the difficulties they would be compelled to confront. He said that the labor organizations in the west were going to make a strong fight against them.

According to his statement these labor organizations are now raising funds for that purpose. He told the Chinamen that it was the intention of the members of the Six Companies to have their countrymen admitted to this country on the same basis that other immigrants were admitted.

After this meeting was held Que Wong Lee went to the establishment of Ben Lee, at No. 447 Fourth avenue. At this place a short meeting took place. At its termination the Chinamen all signified their willingness to lend their support. It is the intention of the Six Companies to appoint a representative in this city to collect the contributions.

Will Visit Other Cities.

When the representatives leave this city they will go to Philadelphia and solicit in behalf of the cause at that place. It was only with great difficulty that the Chinamen could be induced to talk with reference to this matter last night. Yee Chin of the firm of Quong On Wah spoke freely on the matter. He is one of the most enthusiastic and intelligent workers among them. Yee Chin is also one of the richest Chinamen in this city.

"We are going to make an independent fight against the Chinese exclusion act."

he said to The Gazette reporter last night. "The churches of all denominations are making an effort in our behalf. They are going to base their fight on a matter of fairness and from a moral standpoint. It is our intention to make the effect for commercial reasons. We want to have the Chinese immigrants denied on the same ground as others.

"We expect to meet with great opposition from the labor organizations along the road. I learned today that these associations are now collecting funds to further their fight against us. There are about 400 available Chinamen in Allegheny, Westmoreland and Armstrong counties that can be reached from this city. It is our intention to have every Chinaman contribute $50. Of course there is a great deal of money to be collected from them. But the majority will be able to contribute that amount.

"The wealthy merchants will be able to contribute more. To make a successful opposition we must have funds. We are in a strange country and it all depends on the manner in which we present our cause to congress.

Some Should Be Excluded.

Now smugglers and bad Chinamen must be excluded from immigrating to this country just as they are with other countries.

"This fight means a great deal to our countrymen. If the act is not abolished during the coming session it never will be. This has been impressed on the Chinamen throughout the United States and I think that we will gather sufficient funds to employ the most able talent to present our cause at Washington.

"Lee You of No. 210 Grant street was seen by the reporter last night in his rooms. He was ill in bed and was unable to attend the meeting yesterday. He is also enthusiastic over the cause. 'I will give as much money as I can afford toward aiding my countrymen to become citizens of this country,' he said. 'In addition to this I will try to induce others to do the same. There will be no trouble about raising money in this city.'

Ben Lee of No. 447 Fourth avenue spoke glowingly of the intentions of the Chinamen of this city to contribute to the fund. Ben Lee is one of the Chinese leaders in the city and has great influence over them. He said: "I think that there must have been 400 Chinamen come to this city today to attend the meetings for the purpose of raising the money to oppose the exclusion act. I am sure we will raise at least $20,000 in this city."

Small Colonies Will Aid.

In addition to this the Chinamen are impressed with the importance of soliciting among the church people of their respective towns. The Chinamen of Greensburg and Latrobe will canvass among the churchmen of their city and have them adopt resolutions in their behalf. These resolutions will be turned over to a committee of churchmen from the west and presented to congress.

The local committees will be appointed next week for the purpose of making collections among the Chinamen in the surrounding counties. This will be done by representative Que Wong Lee. These committees will work until the representatives of the Six Companies arrive in this city. At that time they will appoint a chief representative to take charge of the collections.

Late last night there were about 30 Chinamen assembled at the store of Sam Wing Sing, at No. 112 Grant street. They were greatly rejoiced at the news brought them by Que Wong Lee.

Outside of the Chinese stores there were large groups of Chinamen gathered, discussing the situation. Among them was a number from Allegheny. It is expected that they will be able to contribute $50 for the cause.

Toward midnight most of the Chinamen left the city. There was a great deal of pleasure expressed. A convention is held in this city representatives of the Six Companies is expected that 400 will be present.

The Rev. E. F. Donohoe said last night that he was unable to attend the meeting yesterday, but would be present at some time this week. Several Chinamen called to see him last night with reference to their meeting yesterday.

Pope Leo XIII to Issue Bull on the Philippine Situation.

ROME, Dec. 1.—(Special Cable.)—In a few days Pope Leo XIII. will issue a pontifical bull which will finally determine the settlement of the ecclesiastical difficulties in the Philippines. It will be to carry out its provisions that Mgr. Sbaretti, former bishop of Havana, will go at once to Manila from Rome as apostolic delegate in succession to Mgr. Chapelle, who will return to his see in New Orleans. The pope will order the holding of a provincial council in Manila, at which the canonical laws and diocesan regulations enacted by the Ecumenical council of the archbishops and bishops of Latin-America, held in Rome in 1899, will be made also of force in the Philippines, modified only by such local needs as the islands show.

HAD TIME FOR THOUGHT.

Woman Who Tired of Married Life Many Years Ago at Last Reconciled to Her Husband.

WATERBURY, CONN., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—More than 20 years ago Sarah Adams of Bristol, then the wife of Mansfield Potter, was dissatisfied with her husband and married life generally and applied for and got a divorce. Since then she has lived at her father's home in Bristol.

Her husband met and married and finally buried his wife. He and Mrs. Potter were reconciled Thanksgiving eve and were married by the Rev. Thomas M. Miles of Bristol. The groom is in the jewelry business in Norwich, and well-to-do.

CONGRESS WILL FOLLOW CUSTOM

First Two Days of the Session Will Be Given Up to Preliminary Work.

MANY IMPORTANT BILLS ARE READY

Reading of the President's Message Will Be Held Over Until Tomorrow—Probable That Both Houses Will Adjourn to Honor McKinley.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—One of the first measures of national interest which will be introduced in the senate at the session which begins tomorrow, will be a resolution looking to public action concerning the death of President McKinley. This will be presented on Tuesday by either Senator Foraker or Senator Hanna, probably the former, and after its introduction the senate will adjourn immediately as a mark of respect to the memory of the dead president.

The annual message of President Roosevelt will not be received until Tuesday, and on this account the session of Monday will be exceedingly brief. It is not now expected that anything will be done on that day beyond the announcement of the death of Senator Kyle, following which the senate, in accordance with custom, will adjourn for the day. On Tuesday the president's message will be read and after its reading the announcement of the death of President McKinley will follow at once, whereupon, under the precedent established when Presidents Lincoln and Garfield died, resolutions providing for the appointment of a committee to act with a similar committee of the house of representatives to take appropriate action relative to the matter and then calling for immediate adjournment for the day will be adopted.

Eulogy Will Come Later.

Heretofore committees have been appointed to arange the details of public exercises, and it is understood that that plan will be pursued in this instance, and that later in the session some public man of distinction will be invited to deliver a eulogy in the capitol.

Wednesday and Thursday will be devoted to the introduction of new bills, and as usual there will be a flood of them. Among the first bills of importance to be presented will be the ship subsidy bill, which will be introduced by Senator Frye, and the Nicaragua canal bill, which Senator Morgan will present. Senator Frye has not entirely completed his bill, but he said today that it would be different in many details from the old bill of last session. That measure was framed by former Senator Edmunds. Senator Frye himself is the author of the new bill. Senator Morgan's canal bill will be a duplicate of Representative Hepburn's bill on the canal question. Other early bills of importance will be one looking to the construction of a submarine cable from the western coast of Hawaii and another providing for the establishment of a new executive department to be known as the department of commerce. On Thursday the senate will adjourn until the following Monday.

Commercial Treaties Important.

The general opinion among senators is that very little real work will be done before the Christmas holidays. The first subject demanding attention is reciprocity. Various treaties are now pending in the state looking to commercial agreements between the United States and other countries. Senator Aldrich will renew his effort to have these treaties, which already have been reported from the committee on foreign relations, committed to the committee on finance on the ground that they deal with tariff questions. The friends of the treaties will oppose this and the preliminary skirmish expected to ensue probably will serve to develop some interesting features.

The early days of the session will be marked by the reorganization of the senate committees so far as may be necessary, and a caucus of the Republican members will be held tomorrow for the purpose of considering this question and appointing a committee to suggest names for the vacancies. The most important place to be filled is that of chairman of the committee on foreign relations. It is generally conceded that Senator Sullom, who is the senior Republican member of that committee, will succeed to the chairmanship.

Program in the House.

The program for the opening day in the house tomorrow, although it will rigidly follow routine precedents, will be interesting and to a certain extent picturesque. Admission to the galleries will be by card, of which two have been issued to each member, and they no doubt will be crowded to their full capacity. The desks of the popular members will be laden with flowers. The clerk of the house will call the members to order at noon and after prayer by the chaplain, the roll will be called by states.

The speaker will be formally elected and escorted to the chair by a committee. Gen. Henderson, whose re-election as speaker is assured, will then address the house, after which Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania, the "Father of the House," a titular honor bestowed upon the oldest member in point of continuous service, will administer the oath to him. The speaker in turn will administer the oath to the members-elect. The old officers of the house who were reëlected by the Republican caucus, then will be re-elected and sworn in. Following this resolutions will be adopted to appoint committees to inform the president and the senate that the house has elected Gen. Henderson speaker, and Mr. McDowell clerk.

Seat-Drawing of Interest.

By resolution Speaker Henderson then will appoint a committee of three to join a similar committee from the senate to inform the president that a quorum of the two houses has assembled and that congress is ready to receive any communication he may have to make. Resolutions to adopt temporarily the rules of the last house and to fix the daily hour of meeting also will precede the event of the opening day, the annual seat-drawing. The president's message will be withheld until Tuesday. Gen. Grosvenor of Ohio will probably make the announcement to the house of the death of President McKinley and offer the resolutions upon which the house will act. On Tuesday that portion of the president's message referring to the death of Mr. McKinley will probably be referred to a select committee to arrange a program of eulogies.

It is rather a remarkable coincidence that Mr. McKinley was the chairman of the committee that arranged the program when President Garfield died. Blaine pronounced the eulogy upon that occasion. Elihu B. Washburn was chairman when Lincoln died and George Bancroft, the historian, was the orator.

After Tuesday the house will probably adjourn three days at a time until congress reassembles for the Christmas holidays. Speaker Henderson will occupy this time preparing his committee lists, which will be announced as soon as the house convenes after the holidays. Practically no business will be transacted before the holidays.

Program for the Opening of Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Senate will meet at 12 o'clock and organize by the election of William P. Frye of Maine as presiding officer.

New senators will be sworn in. The president will be notified that the senate is ready for business.

Adjournment will then be taken out of respect to the memory of the late Senator Kyle.

House will meet at 12 o'clock, and after the swearing in of all members, will organize by the election of the nominees of the Republican caucus.

The rules of the last congress, as modified by the Republican caucus on Saturday, will be adopted.

The president will be notified that the house is ready for business.

Adjournment will then be taken.

The president's message to congress will be read to both branches immediately on assembling on Tuesday.

No official announcement of the death of President McKinley can be made to congress, except by his successor, President Roosevelt. This announcement will be made in the message from the president to the senate and house on Tuesday, and both branches will on that day immediately adjourn out of respect to the memory of the late president.

MRS. ROOSEVELT SPENDS SUNDAY IN PHILADELPHIA.

The President's Wife Tries to Avoid Publicity—Left for New York in the Afternoon.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, wife of the president of the United States, spent today in Philadelphia as the guest of relatives. When the president and the children returned to Washington after the football game Mrs. Roosevelt remained. She went to New York this afternoon.

Mrs. Roosevelt, it is said, desired to remain incognito, and every effort was made to suppress knowledge of her presence and actions. She divided her visit between the homes of Mrs. J. W. Brock, 1417 Spruce street, and Miss Helen B. Tyler, 1426 Spruce street. She spent the night at the Tyler home. This morning, in company with Miss Tyler, she attended morning services at Holy Trinity church, Nineteenth and Walnut streets. Afterward they took a walk in the pleasant sunshine.

Mrs. Roosevelt went to New York on the train that left Broad street station at 4 o'clock. She left the Tyler home at 3 o'clock, after receiving a number of the relatives and friends of her hosts. She passed the gates some time before the train was made up. As she stood chatting with Mr. and Mrs. Brock and Miss Tyler she was recognized by persons within the gates. The news spread quickly, and soon a large crowd was pressing against the gates to look at the first lady of the land.

Mrs. Roosevelt did not appear to be disconcerted by the stir which her presence caused, and remained near the gates until the train arrived. She was dressed in black, with brown furs, and wore a large cluster of violets.

TROUBLE ABOUT SPIRITS.

United States Association May Break With the Whisky Combine.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 1.—Great interest is taken in the meeting here this week of the United States Spirits association, as it is expected war will be declared against the trust.

The United States Spirits association is the distributing agent of spirits and alcohol, and is under contract with the Standard Distilling Company, one of the concerns composing the Distilling Companies of America, the "Whisky Trust," to take its entire output. The spirits association is an independent organization, but mutual interests make it desirable that they work in unison. They have been doing so for several years. The spirits association meets annually with representatives of the Standard Distilling Company to agree upon prices and to contract for the output of the latter company.

The first trouble with the United States Spirits association came seven months ago, when the trust advanced spirits and alcohol in the base 1 cent a gallon to $1 31. The second ruffle came several days ago, when the trust added another cent, making the price $1 32. It gave as its reason the advance in the price of corn.

The latest increase, the spirits association says, was unwarranted, and many members say that they cannot stand by the price and will seek the articles outside of the trust markets.

The output of the Standard Distilling Company amounts to about 40,000,000 gallons a year. The recent advance represents $800,000. The distributors claim that the rise in corn was not sufficient to justify the last advance.

CALENDAR OT CONSULTED.

Charleston Exposition Mangagers Didn't Know That Opening Date Was on Sunday.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 1.—Impressive religious exercises intended as a prelude to tomorrow's opening of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian exposition were held on the exposition grounds this afternoon.

The naming of December 1 as the opening day of the exposition was without consulting the calendar and the fact that December 1 was Sunday was discovered only a short time ago. It was then decided that a proper way to fulfill the promise made in the resolution as to the opening was to hold exercises appropriate to the day.

The exposition will be opened formally tomorrow afternoon. The ceremonies at the "Ivory City" will be preceded by a parade composed of marines, naval reserves, cadets, state volunteers and various civic societies under the command of Lieut. Col. Charles Morris, U. S. A. The city is handsomely decorated, and there were many arrivals at the hotels during the day.

The Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, United States senator from New York, who is to deliver the dedication oration, arrived in Charleston this morning, and is being entertained tonight at Summerville by F. W. Wagener, president of the exposition company. Governor McSweeny and staff arrived tonight to participate in tomorrow's exercises.

RAILROAD BRIDGE WRECKED

Displacement of Structural Steel on a Moving Train Throws Cars Into the Water.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—By the sudden displacement of iron bridge trusses on a flat car attached to an eastbound freight train on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad at Somersville, N. J., this morning, the big iron bridge which spans the Middlebrook for 100 feet was wrecked and all the cars on the bridge fell into the water, 13 feet below.

It took two wrecking crews and a large force of bridge men all day to brace it up so that the Jersey Central could resume traffic. Traffic too, on the Philadelphia & Reading was completely blocked for several hours. It will take several weeks to rebuild the fallen structure.

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BIG CROWDS GATHERED IN PARKS YESTERDAY

Organ Recital and Art Exhibit Attracted Most of the People in Schenley Park.

A day of springlike balminess brought big crowds to the art exhibit and the organ recital at the Carnegie institute, and to the flower show at the Phipps conservatory yesterday afternoon.

The attendance was not quite as large as on Thanksgiving day, but exceeded that of any Sunday for several weeks. The art galleries and music hall were the chief attractions.

Visitors to the conservatory are considerably fewer since the "mums" were removed.

Large crowds swarmed through the art gallery. While there was a general curiosity to see the winners of the prize contest, the interest was fairly divided. The trustees of the institute have announced that options have been secured on the two pictures winning the second and third awards, "An Arrangement," and "The Venetian Blind." Both works received a large share of attention yesterday.

The organ recital given by J. Fred Wolle of Bethlehem proved to be one of the most popular festivals of the season. The music hall was filled to its full capacity. Organist Wolle won enthusiastic praise and applause. The program comprised the following selections:

Prelude in G, fugue in G minor, the little g minor, Bach; aria in A minor; a, allegretto in G, b, pastorale in C, c, allegro vivace in G, Bach; chromatic fantasia, Thiele; a, andante cantabile, from Fourth Organ symphony, b, scherzo, from Second Organ symphony, Widor; in memoriam, Stegfried's death march from "Die Gotterdammerung," Wagner, transcribed by J. Fred Wolle; "Spring Song," Shelly; litany, "Every Soul at Rest Is Sleeping," Schubert; "Torchligst March," Guilmant.

Large crowds enjoyed the sights at the Highland Zoo. Three baby lions were exhibited for the first time.

SPECIAL VESPER SERVICE.

Knights of Columbus Gathered in St. Paul's Cathedral Last Night for Prayers.

Old St. Paul's cathedral resounded last night with the music formulated by St. Gregory the Great and known in ecclesiastical parlance as the Gregorian. The occasion was a vesper service held under the auspices of the various councils of the Knights of Columbus in Allegheny county.

There were nearly 400 knights present and seats being reserved for them in the middle aisle. From the altar to the pulpit the knights were in evidence, the celebrant and preacher and not a few of the singers being members of the order. The officers of the ceremony were: Celebrant, the Rev. Father Keane; deacon, the Rev. Father Carevin; subdeacon, the Rev. Father O'Brien; master of ceremonies, the Rev. Father O'Connell.

The Gregorian music rendered for the vespers last night was of select nature, and not the strictly Gregorian air of the Roman ritual, although the antiphons were sung in the tone as formulated in the ritual. Altogether, however, the musical feature was a rare treat, for it has been a long time since the vespers were sung to Gregorian air. At the conclusion of the "Magnificat," "My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord," the Rev. Father D. J. Walsh, chaplain of Duquesne council, Knights of Columbus, mounted the pulpit and preached an eloquent sermon on "The Dignity of Christian Manhood."

He review the work of the Creator for man from the earliest days, and closed with an eloquent plea to the knights to follow out the Christian ideals of manhood as laid down by the laws of God. This was followed by the benediction service, Father Walsh being celebrant. The service concluded with the singing of the "Te Deum" by the knights and the entire assembly.

BABY CAUSES MUCH FUSS.

Birth of a Son to the Princess of the Asturias Heralded by Much Pomp.

MADRID, Dec. 1.—When the Princess of the Asturias, sister of the king, who was married February 14, 1901, to Prince Charles of Bourbon, gave birth to her son Saturday, the queen regent, the infanta Isabella and all the ministers were present at the palace.

They were all richly clad. The newborn prince was placed upon a silver tray and handed to his father with great ceremony. Prince Charles carried the infant around and presented him to Premier Sagasta, the ministers and other dignitaries. The royal salute was fired. A telegram was sent to the pope asking his blessing. It is expected the pope will consent to be the young prince's godfather.

He will be christened next Tuesday. His name will be Alfonso Andrew. A royal decree has conferred the order of the Golden Fleece and other decorations on the new-born baby.

ORDINANCE IS PREPARED.

Measure Making the New Charter Operative Will Be Presented to Common Council Today.

City Solicitor Clarence Burleigh has completed the charter ordinance and it will be introduced into common council today. The bill covers 40 typewritten pages. There are no new positions created and no decrease in the present number.

The ordinance does not specify the salary to be paid each official. It is probable that a salary revision bill will come later.

There is no provision for an increase in the law department to take care of the legal work connected with the delinquent tax collector's office. Under the charter the recorder can authorize the city solicitor to appoint counsel for the collector. In the event of such authorization, the solicitor and not the recorder, makes the appointment.

HAS SERVED HIS TIME.

Ex-Governor Pattison Says That He Is Now Out of the Political Arena for Good.

DETROIT, MICH., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Ex-Gov. Pattison of Pennsylvania is here on private business.

"Who do you think will be the next Democratic nominee for the presidential chair?" he was asked.

"Well, 1904 is a long way off, and it is a little early to make my predictions."

"Are you still in politics, governor?"

"No; I have twice been governor of Pennsylvania and twice comptroller of the city of Philadelphia, and I think I have served my time."

QUEEN DENIED PLACE TO SLEEP

New York Hotels Turn Down Monarch Traveling Incognito.

OBLIGED TO DISCLOSE HER IDENTITY

Liliuokalani, Erstwhile Ruler of Hawaiian Islands, Buffeted About in Metropolis Until Recognized by Former Subject.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Half a dozen hotels in this town, one of which, at least, specially advertises a royal suite, have turned away a queen without knowing it. The clerks mistook her and her retinue for the third or fourth road company of Black Patti troubadours and closed the registers.

This affront occurred on Friday and Liliuokalani was the queen. She thinks that she was turned away from the Netherland, the Savoy, the Plaza, the Waldorf and several other hotels because she was not known. She tried to be a queen incognito after her arrival here on Friday from San Francisco, and she might have been incognito yet if she had not been recognized by a former loyal subject who is now a bellboy in a Broadway hotel.

The queen was accompanied by Joshua Rea, the royal secretary; John Aimoku and Myra Helelulue.

Secretary Too Modest.

Rea tried to do business with the hotel clerks while the rest of the party remained in the shadow of the hotel lobby. Almost any hotel clerk who hadn't traveled extensively might, on a busy afternoon, mistake Rea for a negro, in spite of his straight hair. That mistake was made all along Fifth avenue and Broadway. Rea didn't say that he represented the queen.

As the royal party was leaving the last hotel on Broadway a bellboy spied the queen. He bowed so low toward her that he butted the head waiter, who was passing behind him. It would have been better for him if he had transposed the butt and the bow, for the head waiter was once a count. He was about to have the bellboy fired when the boy explained matters. The boy also did a good turn for his former sovereign.

He had heard Rea tell the driver to go next to the Hotel Roland. He called a friend of his employed at the Roland and warned him that the queen was coming. The friend told the clerk and then made it possible for the queen to get to bed after Rea, the secretary, had passed a rigid examination.

The Queen Finds a Bed.

He asked the clerk at the Roland for the two best rooms in the house, one for "two ladies," the other for himself and a friend.

"We are very strict at this hotel about whom we take in," said the clerk. "Have you any baggage?"

"Sir," exclaimed Rea, throwing down seventeen trunk and bag checks, "I am tired of these insults. I am the queen's secretary. The queen is here."

"What's she the queen of?"

"She is the Queen Liliuokalani."

That satisfied the clerk. He let the queen and Myra have room 310 and sent John and Joshua to 307. They are going to spend the winter in this city and Washington.

The queen, accompanied by her companion, went shopping in the department stores yesterday morning. They bought some beads and bright remnants for the folks at home and some department store oil paintings for their own apartments.

The queen was terribly put to it in the first store she visited. She got off the elevator at the art, delicatessen and fresh fish floor and asked to look at some paintings.

Royalty Was Angered.

"Yes, ma'm; old, new or medium masters?" asked the clerk, throwing out a sample of each. The queen cottoned to the medium, which was a marine. Joshua admired it, too, and said that the water looked natural enough to dive in for sea beans. The queen was pleased by the secretary's criticism and ordered the picture, but the clerk spoiled the sale.

"It's a dollar down, lady," he said, "and a dollar a month for seventeen months. Our collector will call on every first Monday. Please step this way to the pedigree desk."

The queen was speechless. Waving the royal coin-filled reticule in the clerk's face she swept through the meat and fish department to the elevator, followed by her retinue. Myra stopped a minute to look at some pigs' knuckles and lost the elevator. She caught the next car and the nettled queen upbraided her roundly.

The party had better luck after that and selected seven oils and the beads and remnants before lunch. In the afternoon they went for a drive in the park and enjoyed a half-hour in the monkey house.

PARK AT VALLEY FORGE.

Patriotic Pennsylvanians Want the Government to Acquire the Historic Spot and Beautify It.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Early in the coming week Senator Penrose and Representative Wanger of Pennsylvania will introduce bills for the acquisition of Valley Forge, and its incorporation into a national park as a memorial of one of the most historic places in revolutionary days.

The measures will be practically the same as those introduced in the senate and house, respectively, last year, and will provide for an appropriation of $200,000 for park purposes. The project has the earnest indorsement of 27 patriotic associations including both organizations of the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution, the Colonial Dames and the Junior Order of American Mechanics.

Mr. Edwin Fairfax Naulty, secretary of the Valley Forge National Park association, who is here in the interest of the proposed legislation, will arrange for a delegation of 150 representative Pennsylvanians to have a hearing before the proper committees early in the coming session.

Carpenters Want More Pay.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—The Brotherhood of Carpenters have asked employing carpenters for an increase in pay to 45 cents an hour, eight hours to constitute a day's work, half holiday on Saturday, extra compensation for overtime, Sunday and holiday work, and that the request be granted by May 1 next year.

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COMPARISONS IN COUNTRY'S TRADE

THIS YEAR'S COMMERCE CONTRASTED WITH THAT OF LAST

Statistics Compiled by the Treasury Bureau From Various Centers Show Fluctuations in Exports, and Give Reasons for Their Existence—Increase of Consumption of Cotton by Mills in the South.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 808 Fifteenth St., N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.

The October summary of domestic trade movements, just issued by the treasury bureau of statistics, contains statements of withdrawals of staple commodities from the internal commerce of the country and compares the domestic movements for the first ten months of this year with those of the corresponding period a year ago.

According to this statement from the treasury bureau of statistics, there were withdrawn during the year to October 31, from the country's stock of cereals for export 284,622,120 bushels, compared with 208,583,481 bushels for the corresponding period of 1900. The withdrawals of packing house and dairy products for the same period this year amounted to 1,-795,763,112 pounds, compared with 1,796,-432,765 pounds for the preceding year. The demands of home consumption have been such as to raise domestic prices to a level at which they have begun to pass less readily into the export trade. The October withdrawals of cereals this year were 21,976,116 bushels, compared with 28,276,444 bushels in October, 1900, showing a decrease of 6,300,328 bushels. The high prices of cereals in the domestic markets have, it would seem, begun to check the export movement, but on the other hand they have given the agricultural sections of the country, from which these three products are derived, a greatly increased purchasing power, the effect of which has been to stimulate especially the westward shipments of merchandise to an extraordinary degree.

At interior centers the leading spring wheat markets for the first three months of the crop year gained in receipts from 5,452,246 bushels last year to 72,656,872 bushels this year. On the other hand four winter wheat markets, which received 42,299,033 bushels for the first four months of the last crop year, had received only 32,451,675 bushels for the corresponding period of this year. Shipments of flour from Minneapolis to November 4 amounted to 12,500,187 barrels, compared with 13,100,205 barrels in 1900, and 11,782,910 barrels in 1899.

The eastward trunk line movement from Chicago and Chicago points for the three leading classes of trunk line traffic for the first 44 weeks of the year have averaged 131,963 barrels of flour per week, 297,182 bushels of grain and 24,896 tons of provisions.

Official live stock receipts at five western markets for ten months, ending with October, this year, amounted to 27,078,104 head of cattle, hogs and sheep. During that period last year the arrivals were 25,100,743 head, being an increase of 1,-908,361 head.

At the Atlantic seaboard Boston received 44,879,621 bushels of grain, including flour, reduced to bushels, to October 31, compared with 42,582,454 bushels last year to that date. October receipts at New York were 13,828,712 bushels, compared with 18,833,177 bushels last October. Philadelphia and Baltimore made marked advances in the volume of flour and wheat received in contract with receipts during October, 1900. In coastwise shipping Baltimore, under its newly organized system of collecting coastwise trade statistics, reports for September the arrivals of 887 vessels. In October New York arrivals from coastwise ports numbered 817 vessels.

In southern territory a noteworthy feature of the cotton movement has been the unusually large takings of southern mills, 334,146 bales having gone to meet this demand during the first two months of the current season, compared with 274,606 bales for 1900.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

Lecture at Turner Hall.

A lecture on "Our Countrymen in the United States" was given in Central Turner hall in Forbes street last night by Rudolph Cronan of New York. The lecture was illustrated by 75 stereopticon views. The lecturer spoke on the reasons for German immigration and the part they have taken in making the history of this country.

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(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.)

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 1.—Barring blood clot from ruptured vessels in the brain, no symptoms of which have appeared as yet, William C. Jutte, the Pittsburgh coal operator who last evening shot a bullet into his head with suicidal intent, will recover.

Mrs. Jutte and her daughter, who came through from Pittsburgh during the night, arrived here this morning before noon and visited the patient, who is comfortable in a private ward in the city hospital. They brought with them their family physician, Dr. Rheinhart. Husband and wife were left alone for a short time. The failure of the bullet to penetrate the skull has excited interest in medical circles, as the force with which it struck the bone was sufficient to flatten it out in a shining leaden disc about the thickness of a silver quarter and a little larger. The revolver was held directly over the head, and the wound where it entered is a little to the left side. The attending physician when he began to probe for the ball believed that it had gone through the skull, but traced it to the back of the left ear. Concussion of the brain not having developed, the doctors say that he will recover. If it is ascertained within the next 24 hours that none of the tiny blood vessels of the brain have been injured.

He is not yet wholly out of danger. The wounded man has been conscious almost from the moment he arrived in the hospital and his mind is perfectly clear. He does not discuss the shooting, for has he so far as learned told any one the reason why he desired to end his life. Mr. Brokaw, the wounded man's father-in-law, says that his son-in-law was depressed and nervous, which he believed was due to insomnia. He seemed to fear financial losses and talked on imaginary business reverses. At no time did he speak to Mr. Brokaw of suicide or of any desire to die.

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NEXT MOVE AT M'KEESPORT

Switchmen Threaten to Tie Up McKeesport Connecting Road.

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Supreme Executive of the Union May Conduct Local Strike—Both Sides Say They Are Gaining, but Little Change Is Evident.

The switchmen held largely-attended meetings at McKees Rocks in the headquarters of lodge No. 52 yesterday afternoon and evening, the object being to get more of the men of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie to join the strike. Another meeting at McKeesport last night was for the purpose of arranging the probable extension of the strike to the McKeesport Connecting railroad, the terminal system of the National Tube Company.

The members of the switchmen's union on the McKeesport Connecting railroad have been working on a provisional agreement that the new scale would be met if the other railroads pay it. The strike committee has demanded that the scale be signed before noon today or the men will be called on to strike. The McKeesport Connecting road employs 23 day crews of three men each, and 20 night crews of three men each. Most of these men are now members of the switchmen's union.

Managers and operating officials of the different Pittsburgh roads asserted yesterday that they had the situation better in hand, and that new men who have been placed are working to better advantage. Yesterday the officials were in the yards assisting their new forces to clear up the freight blockade. Little additional freight being loaded on Sunday, considerable of this work was done.

Grand Master May Come Here.

First Vice Grand Master Leonard Ames, who is here to conduct the strike, with Second Vice Grand Master J. D. Hughes, addressed the McKees Rocks meeting last night, while Hughes had charge of the afternoon meeting there and the McKeesport meeting at night. Vice Grand Master Ames announced yesterday evening that he had telegraphed to Grand Master Frank T. Hawley to come here at once, from Denver, where he is conducting the strike of the Denver & Rio Grande switchmen. Mr. Ames had received a telegram from Secretary M. R. Welch asking that the situation here be telegraphed to Grand Master Hawley. This was done, and the grand master asked to come here at once. Mr. Ames said last night:

"I can say that the situation here looks favorable for the strikers. A committee, sent to meet the management of the Monongahela Connecting road of Jones & Laughlin's, yesterday evening, reported that Supt. McCune was ready to agree to our wage proposition for one year. I, of course, instructed the committee to accept this. When the committee returned and met Mr. McCune at 11 o'clock last night he said that he could sign nothing and the committee was escorted out of the yard by four policemen. The men were called out at midnight and responded promptly, there being over 200 employed in these yards, I understand."

Situation in Various Yards.

"I have not had reports from all the yards today. In the Allegheny Valley yards four engines were working with crews made up of seven new men, furnacemen with their overalls and mits on, and yard masters and officials. From the West Penn our report is that only one engine is doing yard work, and a number of the men that have been working for the Pittsburgh & Western joined our ranks today.

"I was surprised at the unwarranted attitude of Grand Master P. H Morrisey of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen while here. However, his effort to influence his men again us has had little effect. Many have joined us since the strike was declared. I understand that Morrisey made the statement while here that he had settled the Harlem river strike. He left New York several days before the strike was over. He ordered 35 of his men back to work, and all but nine afterward joined us. Under our settlement these nine were forced out and all the strikers were placed back at work.

"New men that have been placed in the yards here cannot do the work, even if experienced, and a road brakeman certainly cannot work to advantage in these yards. In the Chicago yards, which pay the wages we are out for here, the terminals are not complicated and curved as here, and the cost of living is less."

Trainmen Also Met.

At a meeting of the McKees Rocks lodge of the Brotherhood of Trainmen yesterday resolutions were passed declaring that the members have an agreement with the company which they must observe and that the organization has 38 per cent of the yardmen of this road. Members of the Switchmen deny the statement as regards numbers, saying they have 47 members on that road, 70 per cent of all.

L. H. Marr, chairman of the board of adjustment for the Brotherhood of Railroad Telegraphers on the Pennsylvania lines east, conducted a meeting at the Seventh Avenue hotel last night which passed resolutions declaring that no sympathetic move would be made for the switchmen. Idle trainmen of the brotherhood met yesterday and it is said that 18 out of 19 decided to return to work today.

The congested railroads are refusing to take beer as freight and as a result Braddock and other active consuming places are suffering from a beer famine.

Notices have been posted at the suspended plate mills at Homestead that they will resume Thursday morning.

Despair is often the creature of a spirit drowned in care. To rise superior to it, physical strength is an important factor, and physical strength can be restored with Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge.

CAMPBELL'S.

A Big Ribbon Sale.

We have just "scooped in" a large lot of fine liberty satin ribbons at one-third less than their actual value and have put them on sale the same way—one-third less than ordinary selling prices. They are all choice goods in the most wanted shades 1¼-inch ribbons, worth 12½c, for 9c; 1½-inch ribbons, worth 15c, for 11c; 2-inch ribbons, worth 25c, for 14c; 3-inch ribbons, worth 30c, for 21c; 4-inch ribbons, worth 40c, for 29c.

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Jardinieres make acceptable presents. We have domestic, English and Japanese makes — 6 to 24 inches—25c to $15. That's fair enough range, don't you think?

English Jardinieres and Pedestals, $9, $10, $15 and $25.

Fine Plates for gifts. Do you know there are very few women, married or single, but have an inherent love for fine China. In this China Store there are Plates by the dozen—salad, ice cream, bread and butter, tea, dinner and service sizes—most of them exclusive styles of decoration—two hundred decorations for choice—and the price range from $3 to $75 a dozen.

Tea and Bouillon Cups and Saucers to match from $6 to $50 a dozen.

Salad Dishes, Chop Dishes, Pudding Dishes, Baking Dishes, Asparagus Sets, Chocolate Pots, Sugar and Cream Sets and hundreds of similar items—all within gift prices.

Specials for Today—

100 Porcelain Pudding Sets—3 pieces—decorated and gold stippled, $1 a set.

1,000 Bread and Butter Plates and Fruit Saucers, decorated Carlsbad China, 10c each.

1,000 China Tea Cups and Saucers in assorted decorated China, 25c each.

The Christmas Aprons for Women

are ready in the Muslin Underwear department, second floor. A fine lot. Variety is the feature. Dainty effects in lace, embroidery and ribbon.

Aprons with hem and lace insertion, 15c.

Round Aprons, pink and blue borders, made with pocket—good quality of lawn, 25c.

Lawn Aprons with bib, straps over shoulders, 25c.

Lawn Aprons, lace and embroidery trimmed, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Fancy Swiss Aprons, tastily trimmed with lace and ribbon, 25c to $1.50.

Sale of Flannels Below Cost.

Below cost! Repeat that, please. Warm Winter Flannels at less than we paid for them. Bought too many, consequently we suffer the loss. In the following you have the practical for the holiday gift.

2,000 yards plain and Fancy Printed French Flannels for Shirtwaists, Dressing Sacques, Wrappers—the 60c and 70c qualities ..... **35c a yd.**

Silk Stripe Flannel Waist Cloths in all the popular shades—65c qualities ..... **45c a yd.**

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4,000 yards Fancy Fleeced Flannelettes for house gowns, kimonas and shirtwaists—10c and 12 1-2c qualities ..... **7½c a yd.**

Pretty Things for the Infants' Christmas.

The Infants' Department, second floor front of the annex, has lots of dainty things for babies. If there is a baby in the house it must have the best. You get that best here.

And let us remind mothers that the knit rattles and knit reins are in this section of the store.

Infants' Sacques of daisy cloth, crocheted wool, French flannel, cashmere and silk, hand-embroidered, feather stitched and ribbon trimmed, from 25c to $8.

Infants' Wrappers of daisy cloth, flannel, cashmere and silk, beginning with daisy cloth at 55c and right along by easy stages to $15 for fine hand-embroidered cashmere lined throughout with silk.

Infants' Bibs—hand-embroidered and lace trimmed—50c to $7.50.

Infants' Kid Shoes and Moccasins, 50c, 65c and 85c. Imported Moccasins of pique and silk, 75c to $3.50.

Infants' Long and Short Dresses—1, 2 and 3 years—from 50c to $36.

Infants' Caps and Bonnets—mull, lace, silk and velvet—25c to $12.75.

Long and Short Coats for Infants—1, 2 and 3 years—$3. to $28.50.

Hood Rattles, 65c; Knit Rattles, 85c; Knit Reins, $2.25.

Holiday Umbrellas.

What would Christmas be without Umbrellas to give?

Well, we have the Umbrellas, so let's not theorize.

Never had as fine assortment—either of those made in this country or the ones we import from England and Vienna.

What we would like you to do is to pick your gift before the rush begins. The out-riders of the rush have arrived.

Men's Umbrellas, $1 to $22.
Women's priced the same.
Children's, 50c to $2.50.

Note.—We're mounting lots of those imported novelty Handles that we have told you about. We can get yours out in time if you give us the order this week.

Gift Furniture and Lots of It.

Come with us to this Fifth Floor Furniture Store and let's look at some of the rich gift pieces. Each and every piece has that refined look that distinguishes it from the common kind that is made on the principle of how much can be turned out in a given time.

India Stools, slat tops — green, golden and natural oak, imitation mahogany, cherry and birch—$1.25 each.

Burnt and decorated Tabourets, $5 to $15.

Teakwood Tabourets, those rich dark kind, $9.50 to $45.

Parlor Chairs—carved and inlaid mahogany—$14, $16, $19.50, $22.50.

Parlor Rockers, $5 to $50.

Japanese Tea Tables—fine lacquered work—$5.

Work Tables—mahogany—colonial style—three drawers and two receptacles, with lids for work, $34.

Work Tables of Mahogany—Empire style—1 drawer—slide with bag—top with trays and mirror—$38.

Work Tables of inlaid mahogany—slide with bag—open with trays on both sides—most convenient work table made—$48.

Card Tables of weathered oak with four chairs, which have compartments underneath, four drawers for cards, etc., complete, $23.

Folding Card Table of Oak, 30 inches square, $2.75; 35 inches in diameter, $2.75; 45 inches in diameter, $4.

Music Cabinets of mahogany—some plain, some inlaid—$8.50, $10, $12.50, $17, $20, $22, $26.50, $30.

Writing Desks of mahogany, $12, $18, $20, $22 and up to $115. Of oak, $10, $12.50 and up to $60. Of birdseye maple, $10 and $12.50.

Three-piece Parlor Suits—gold leaf—sofa, armchair and side chair, upholstered in hair and covered with muslin, $180. Same suit in mahogany, $110.

Revolving Bookcases in quartered oak, $11 to $30.

85c Black Silks.

That's not the right price. They formerly sold for $1 and $1.25 a yard. But here is the story of this 85c-a-yard sale of Black Silks which starts this morning—

This busy season has left us with many odd pieces of Black Grenadine, Crepe de Chine, Taffetas, Fancy Gros Grains, Hemstitched Taffetas, Embroidered Taffetas, Corded Taffetas, Surahs and Faconne Peau de Soie.

So we put them out today and you can choose from the collection at 85c a yard.

Christmas Things Among the Notions.

In the following, suggestion runs riot—

Scissor Cases, containing 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 pairs of shears, in leather and imitation leather, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00 set.

Knives for the Boys—A special lot of them, 2, 3 and 4 blades. Some with cork screws, 50c each. Others in stock at various prices.

Sewing Baskets and Boxes, from Germany, Austria and France. Fitted or unfitted; lined or unlined. Imitation Leather, 25c, 50c, 75c. Real Leather, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 each.

Unlined Baskets, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c each. Baskets, lined with colored quilted satin, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 each.

Work Basket Necessities — fancy beeswax, emeries, small cushions, mending cottons, conveniently put up; fancy tape lines, thimbles, needles, small spools of thread, enamel wood darners, etc.

For the Gentlemen—Smoking Sets, crystal and gilt, crystal and silver, all gilt and all silver, gun metal, $1.25, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50 set.

Traveling Flasks, all nickel, nickel and glass, all glass, with patent sealing corks, conveniently shaped for the pocket or grip.

Razors, either single or in cases. Razor Strops. Lather Brushes, and all the necessary articles to go with them. Soaps, Bay Rum, Vegetal, Camphor Ice, Talcum Powder, etc.

Cigar Stands, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 each.

Fancy Toilet Sets, 4 pieces on tray. Beautiful Viennese designs, silver and crystal, $3.50, $4.50 and $5.50 set. Silver and gold, $6.50, $7.50, $9.00 and $10.50 set.

Gold and Silver Card or Photograph Baskets, $1.50, $2.50 and $3.50 each. Puff Boxes, Venetian glass, decorated gold and jewels, 25c to $10.00 each.

Mounted Combs, came in Saturday. Handsome Rhinestone and jewel mountings upon good imitation shell. Looks like the real, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00.

Holiday Table and Decorative Linens.

We know that the most pleasing gift from the family to the mother is that of Table Linen—either cloth and napkins, or a full set together with the decorative pieces.

Our big Linen Department, street floor of the annex, never presented more attractive lines of fine table napery. You can buy the fine or the very superfine, and whatever you buy will be less in price than you could purchase the same qualities elsewhere. We import all our linens direct from foreign makers.

Here are the prices:

Bleached Damask Table Cloths—2 by 2 yards—$1.50 each.

Bleached Damask Table Cloths—2 by 2½ yards—$2 each.

Bleached Damask Table Cloths—2 by 3 yards—2½ by 2½ yards—$3 each.

Bleached Damask Table Sets—2 by 2 yards Cloth, one dozen Napkins to match—$3.75.

Bleached Damask Table Sets—2 by 3 yards Cloth, one dozen Napkins to match—$5 set.

Hemstitched Damask Table Sets—8-10 Cloth, one dozen Napkins to match—$6 set.

Hemstitched Damask Table Sets—10-10 Cloths, one dozen Napkins to match—$12.50 set.

In Decorative Linens we think our collection is without an equal. A brief mention:

75c each for hand-embroidered Centers, hemstitched or scalloped—$1.25 goods.

$1.25 each for hand-embroidered Centers—20 by 20 and 24 by 24 inches—$1.75 and $2 goods.

$1.50 each for hand-embroidered Lunch Cloths—36 by 36—$2.25 goods.

$2.25 each for Renaissance Lace Table Centers—$3.25 goods.

18c each for hand-embroidered, Renaissance and Mexican Doylies—odd lots—25c and 35c goods.

The Christmas Handkerchiefs.

We do not want to urge you, but your best plan would be to select your handkerchiefs this week—that is if you wish to avoid crowds. Some people, though, like to shop when crowds are greatest, and after all it is jolly good fun.

To use a cant saying we simply laid ourselves out on Christmas Handkerchiefs this year.

In the first place, our buyer spent weeks in the mills of Ireland, France, Belgium and Switzerland, and if there was anything he missed in the way of novelties, we haven't heard of it.

The way handkerchiefs have tumbled in on us from the Pittsburg Custom House the past few weeks passes all bounds of credulity.

Whatever your taste in the way of a proper gift, let us assure you it can easily be satisfied here, we do not care if you are the most fastidious person alive.

There is every possible combination of lace.
There is every possible combination of embroidery.
There are colored handkerchiefs of surpassing beauty.
There are Handkerchiefs with the daintiest Initials.
There are Handkerchiefs of pure Silk.
There are Handkerchiefs of real Duchess Lace.
And the prices begin at 9c and graduate in a moderate range to $75.

Note, first, we furnish the boxes. You trim to suit yourself.

Note, second, the Men's and Women's Handkerchiefs are on the same floor—street floor of the annex.

Lamps for Holiday Gifts.

There is a suggestion—a capital one. A Student Lamp, Banquet Lamp, Parlor Lamp—splendidly suggestive. The practical combined with the ornamental.

Such a variety as we have in our Basement Lamp Store.

Decorated Banquet Lamps—only newest shapes and decorations—$5 to $15.

Student Lamps—single and double—finished in nickel, brushed brass and verde or green, $10 to $30.

Lamp Shades and Globes for Trimming—plain and oriental effects.

Colored Dress Goods in Pretty Boxes.

The selling of dress goods in boxes containing enough material for the dress or separate skirt, is always one of the leading features of this store at Christmas times.

It is a neat way of pleasing the feminine members of the family.

This morning we place on sale 700 Dress Patterns (full dress lengths) neatly boxed. The material is an all wool navy and mixed cheviot suiting. The price is $3 a box.

We will also have 350 neatly boxed Skirt Patterns—such materials as hair line suitings, striped cheviots and check tailorings—ample material to make the new style skirts, and the prices will be $2, $3 and $3.50 a box.

Cream and white are the colors now employed for the stylish waist and dress. These colors in such weaves as Lansdowne, Crepes, Cords, Voiles, Etamines, Serges, Cheviots, Broadcloths, Albatross, Mohairs and Cashmeres, 35c to $3 a yard.

Christmas Gifts of Fine Perfumery.

The department where the fragrant Perfumes are on sale (you know it—right at the main entrance), is ready with its Christmas offerings. Like many of the other departments it took the Christmas fever good and—plunged.

Christmas Perfumes in fancy boxes, all sizes, from that made for the little tots at 5c a bottle, up to the elegant cut glass affairs at $10.00 each.

Perfumes in fancy boxes, some only hold one bottle, some a bottle of perfume and cake of soap; others soap, powder, perfume and sachet. Special values made after our own designs, and when you see them you will acknowledge their superiority, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00 each.

Atomizers and Sprinkler Top Bottles — exclusive imported designs. Some patterns never before shown in this country. Cut glass and beautifully decorated Venetian glass, gold and silver mounted, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and $1.00 each.

Winter Hosiery for Women and Children.

It was just about as well we bought freely of Winter Stockings, for the early cold weather caused a run on this department.

We've never found the same hosiery as ours selling for anything like our low prices. We don't understand it, unless we have the knack of buying better.

A special lot of Women's and Children's all wool Stockings—medium and heavy weights—double heels and toes—25c a pair.

Children's Imported Cashmere Hose in all the different weights and ribs—all reinforced in knees, heels and toes—35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1 a pair.

Women's Cashmere Hose — all weights and qualities, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and easily along to $4 a pair.

Gift Things in the Curtain and Drapery Dep'ts.

This fourth floor is brave with thousands of practical gift suggestions. See such articles as these—

1,000 Fancy Sofa Pillows—cottons, silks, satins, damasks and printed fabrics—75c, $1, $1.50 to $5 each.

2,000 uncovered Sofa Pillows filled with down, ready for that pillow square upon which you have been working so assiduously, in the following sizes—

16x16 inches	38c each
18x18 inches	45c each
20x20 inches	50c each
22x22 inches	75c each
24x24 inches	$1.00 each
26x26 inches	1.35 each
18 inches round	65c each
20 inches round	75c each
11x15 inches	38c each
13x17 inches	45c each
16x16 inches	50c each
18x18 inches	90c each
20x20 inches	$1.25 each
22x22 inches	1.65 each
24x24 inches	2.00 each
26x26 inches	2.50 each
18 inches round	1.25 each
20 inches round	1.65 each

Pillow Cords in a great variety of colors and combinations—⅝ inch—cotton, mercerized cotton and silk. Cotton, 8c a yard; mercerized cotton, 12½c a yard; silk, 18c a yard.

Artistic Drapery Silks, 45c, 50c, 65c, 75c a yard.

Plain Silks, 31 inches wide, great variety colors, 50c a yard.

Folding Japanese Screens, black with gold embroidery, 5½ feet high, $3 each. Other handsome Japanese Screens, $6 and up to $50 each.

Plain Burlap Screens with oak frames, $5 each. Prices and variety up to $75.

The Japanese Dinner Gongs are here, too, ranging from $1.50 to $18 a set.

What about fine Lace Curtains and Portieres? They make nice presents to the housewife. Nothing would better please her. See our handsome collection.

Leather Pillow Covers and Squares of Damask and Tapestry.

The fifth floor Furniture department has lots of novelties—some of which may help you to execute pretty things for giving to your friends at Christmas. These, for instance—

Burnt and painted Leather Sofa Pillow Covers, $5 to $15.

Burnt and painted Leather Banners and Hanging Photograph Holders, $2 and $3.

Squares of Damask and Tapestry for Sofa Pillows, 25c to $2.50 each.

Pipe Racks, 25c to $10.

Bed Spreads, Blankets and Comforts at Reduced Prices.

More of the practical for the gift season.

Odd lots and sample Bed Spreads at the reduced prices—$.125 Spreads for 95c; $2 Spreads for $1.50; $3 Spreads for $2.25; $4 Spreads for $3.

100 pairs of special all wool White Country Made Blankets, eleven-quarter size, which always sell for $3.50 and they are worth every cent of the money. But we say today for each pair of the 100 the less price of $2.85. Fine weather for buying Blankets—at reduced prices.

Lot of very fine Satine covered Comforts, filled with very best white cotton and quilted. Double bed size. $3.50 qualities. $2.50 each.

Bric-a-Brac.

This is the department for rich presents—Cut Glass, fine China, Bronzes, Marbles, Plaques, Curios — fine specimens literally from every country under the sun.

This third floor was never so inviting.

In rich American Cut Glass—none to compare with it—all sizes of Bowls, Olive and Bonbon Dishes, Celery Trays, Sugar and Cream Sets, Flower Vases, Water Pitchers, Carafes and Decanters.

In Austrian Crystal and Gold Ware, Bowls of all sizes, Bonbons, Olive Dishes, Table Tumblers, all sizes of Liquor Glasses, Flower Vases, Plates and Celery Trays.

Elegant and rich crystal from the Baccarat factory in France—Table Tumblers, Stem ware, Carafes and Decanters, plain colonial cuttings and finest etchings.

Imported and domestic Bronzes, Busts, Figures and Electroliers, and small fancy pieces.

Royal Vienna Wares, such as Vases, Cups and Saucers and Plates, sold separately. Vases, $9 to $150; Cups and Saucers, $5 to $15; Plates, $25 each.

For the lower priced wares in this third floor Bric-a-Brac department, we have arranged tables containing assorted wares, priced 25c, 50c, 75c and $1 for choice.

Winter Gloves for Boys, Girls and Women.

We looked out for the right kind of cold weather gloves and we have assortments that are ahead of any former season. All the pretty colors in wool and cashmere, fancy mixtures and plaids.

Boys' heavy wool Gloves—plain and fancy mixtures—25c, 35c and 50c a pair.

Misses' plain and fancy mixtures—medium and heavy weight—of course the gloves are all wool—25c, 35c and 50c a pair.

Children's single and double Wool Mittens—black and colors—25c and 35c a pair.

Women's Wool Golf Gloves—white, black, navy, red and about any combination you can think of, also mixtures and plaids, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25 a pair.

Boys' and Misses' Silk Lined Kid Gloves, fine and strong and warm—50c and $1 a pair.

Boys' and Misses' Silk Lined Kid Gloves—dressy and very warm—$1 a pair.

Now, about the fine kid gloves for presents. We have every good kind that other stores have, and a good many brands that you could not find in any other store; for instance, the celebrated Jouvin & Cie and the Reynier Kid Gloves of Paris.

Then there are our own brands that we have made especially for us by the best French makers. Altogether it is a stock worthy the big trade this department enjoys.

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Fine thing for cold weather. Have them in knit wool, wool Jersey cloth, leather, broadcloth and velvet. All the pretty colors.

A variety of prices—each very moderate for the quality of the goods.

For a present to a little boy nothing neater than a pair of leather leggins.

Sold in the Women's Hosiery department.

Brass Beds.

A suggestion to the young men and women of the family.

You know mother and father are deserving of the best room in the house. That admits of no argument.

Now wouldn't it be real nice to present them with a fine brass bed? Not the ordinary kind, but something of splendid value.

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Round Gas Heaters, $1 Each.

You'll find one hundred of them marked at the even dollar, today in the basement store for household helps.

They are known as Round Stag Gas Heaters.

Russia iron drums, good heavy base, improved brass Star burner.

Velvets.

Of course you are interested in Velvets—if feminine eyes are reading this. Read further, please—

$2 a yard multi-color Roman Stripe Panne and Monitone Paon Velvet—two specially interesting novelties for waists, dress garnitures, etc., that we have taken right in the midst of the busy season, and marked to the tempting price of..... **$1 yd**

$2 a yard tri-colored Paon Velvet in geometrical designs — another pretty novelty for waists. Such colors as turquoise, rose pink, tan, navy, cardinal and gray, for which today we say the less price of..... **$1.60 yd**

Holiday Silks and Satins.

Admirable for making Christmas Bags. Also nice for tucked waists. Also, again, neat for trimmings.

50c, 75c, 85c a yard.

Tucked Liberty Satin, $1.25 a yard. Very popular. New colorings and effects in the best quality of Liberty Satin that comes from the looms.

But here follows something very special—

$1 and $1.25 a yard Fancy Taffetas in the most extensive variety, an opportune sale for holiday buyers. All the pleasing color combinations, and the price we name is..... **75c yd**

RECORDS COUNT FOR NOTHING.

Assistant Fire Chiefs Peter Snyder and William Coates Summarily Removed.

BOTH HAVE SPLENDID RECORDS

No Reason Given for Their Dismissal, After Years of Faithful and Often Heroic Service—Chief Snyder's Relatives Also Suffer.

Medal Awarded to Capt. Peter Snyder for Bravery at the Willey Disaster in 1889.

Not in all Pittsburgh were there two officials who stood higher in the estimation of the public than William Coates and Peter Snyder, assistant fire chiefs. They have been removed from office solely for political reasons, and the incidents connected with their removals are interesting.

Both men have distinguished themselves in the service of the city. Both have received medals for deeds of bravery. One fought on the battlefield of the civil war, and served in the regular army during the reconstruction period. A political machine demanded their places, and, without a hearing, they were led to the block. Both men rendered long years of political service for Senator C. L. Magee. Both men say that, when death removed him, they lost their friend. Like many others in the city employ, they will have to give way to men whose loyalty to him Senator William Flinn does not doubt.

William Coates was found near his home in Sherman street, Lawrenceville, last night. As the writer walked to his residence with him a friend called from his residence:

"Good evening, chief."

"No, just plain Mr. Coates," replied the chief, who was enjoying his first real evening off in 16 years.

"But your friends will continue to call you chief," was the neighbor's reply.

Flinn Is to Blame.

Mr. Coates is not disposed to be harsh with those who have succeeded in securing his dismissal. Of J. O. Brown he says:

"Mr. Brown has been very good to me, and I cannot say enough kind things about him. I will continue to be his friend. I have not been a political friend of Senator William Flinn and I do not intend to be in the future. Aside from politics, our relations have not been strained.

"Senator C. L. Magee was my friend. We served together on the old fire commission, and it was at his solicitation that I entered the department, fifteen or sixteen years ago. In all that time I have had charge of the great East End and Lawrenceville districts. It has been my duty to protect millions of dollars' worth of property, and, while I may have been remiss in some things, I believe that my record as a fireman cannot be attacked.

"When Senator Magee died I told J. O. Brown that he should be the man to lead. I then said what I thought of Senator Flinn, and my remarks were not given in confidence. I said that I had not been for Mr. Flinn politically and never would be. I do not hold Recorder J. O. Brown accountable for my dismissal, although his name was signed to the formal notice of discharge that I received last night. I have always been a Republican and I cannot say that Senator Flinn has been.

Friends Are Angry.

"There have been a couple of hundred friends in the ward called and sent me messages since last night. I have lost no friends, I am sure. In old No. 6 engine company, where my office has been located, there have been three resignations since last night. Michael Moore and my son George have quit the service. In the nine companies that were under me I had many friends, and the boys have sent me some very kind messages. I never expect to step inside of an engine house again unless there should be a change in administration. Stranger things have happened in the political world."

Chief Coates has a soldier record to be proud of. When he quit the saddle he stopped fighting and has never joined any of the soldier organizations. Shortly before the battle of Gettysburg, when Mr. Coates was 14 years old, he joined Negley's cavalry, recruited in Pittsburgh. He was in this service for six months. Then he ran away from home, working his way on freight trains to Baltimore, where he enlisted in Cole's First Maryland cavalry. In this troop he served until the close of the war, participating in the battles of the Wilderness, all of Sheridan's big fights and the peninsular campaign. At the close of the war he enlisted in the Fifth United States cavalry and served three years in the south. He retired with the rank of sergeant. Even in the face of Gov. Stone's declaration that old soldiers must not be ripped, Mr. Coates was dismissed.

For years Stone and Mr. Coates have been friends. When Stone was United States attorney Mr. Coates was postoffice inspector. Their work necessarily threw them much together. Mr. Coates has not appealed to the governor nor to any other man to prevent his dismissal.

Friend of Magee, Not Flinn.

"They can take my job, but they cannot rob me of my honor and manhood. "Flinn has never liked me and I have never cared for him. Senator C. L. Magee was always my friend. While he lived none could discharge me. When he died I knew that I was without a friend at court. In the days of Mackey, Elliott and Magee, and ever since, I have delivered the goods. Senator Magee was a real man and never forgot a kindness.

"I was dismissed without an opportunity for defense. I cannot see how my record as a fireman can be attacked. The only crime that I can think of that I committed was to vote against Flinn last winter when he wanted to change the rules of the Republican county committee. I could see no reason to change the rules and voted against it. My position and that of my nephew and my niece's husband was the price."

Tersely given, this is what Peter Snyder, fifth assistant fire chief, has to say about his removal. Search the records of the Pittsburgh fire department from its beginning until today and there is not a record that excels that of Captain Snyder. If any equal it, that man should be proud.

Peter Snyder has lived 52 years, and the greater part of the time has led an extremely busy life. Today he is the picture of health, and his unwarranted removal does no' affect him in the least. The men who have thrown him out will hear from him in politics in the future.

Career of Brave Fireman.

Captain Snyder has lived in the First ward most of his life. For eight years he resided in the second district of the Fourth ward, and while there, as it did during his long residence in the third district of the First ward, the district always went the way the Republican leaders wanted. It was while in the Fourth that he ran as a delegate for Senator Magee. In 1883 he was put on the sub-list of the fire department. Two years later he had a regular job. In 1889 he was commissioned captain, and the same year was presented by councils with a medal for bravery in the Willey building disaster. For years he was captain of old No. 1, and that company has made a record. When Director Fulton took charge of the safety department Captain Snyder was made fifth assistant chief. The men under him have nothing but praise for his leadership.

Captain Snyder is a modest man and it is hard to learn from him much of his record. When the civil war broke out he went with his brother Frank to the recruiting office. To use the captain's language, "they accepted Frank and kicked me out, because I was too young."

Frank went through the war, while his brother George fell at Spottsylvania. Today Frank is a sweeper in the "white wings" gang. His son George was Saturday removed from the fire department because he is a nephew of the captain, and James O'Leary was ripped from the department because he was married to a niece of the captain. The discharge of Frank would not be surprising.

If Captain Snyder could not fight for his country, he has performed many feats of heroism. Most people will recall the Willey building disaster, where many lives were lost. Here Peter Snyder won undying fame.

Worked for Hours in Great Danger.

The building collapsed and then took fire. The accident took place in January, 1889, during a few days of bitterly cold weather. Among the many unfortunate people caught in the ruins was a little messenger boy, who was pinned down, almost unhurt, by a huge beam which rested across his body.

Hours after the disaster, when the fire had been subdued, the boy's cries attracted attention to him. Water poured on the fire had drenched him and then the biting cold froze his clothes. He was slowly dying from cold and exhaustion.

Peter Snyder crawled through the ruins and encouraged the lad. Building experts examined the place with a view to rescue, but all decided it was certain death to cut the beam which imprisoned the boy. They feared further collapse of the building.

Peter Snyder, accompanied by Contractor Hugh Ferguson, then a common councilman from the Seventeenth ward, made a careful inspection, and Snyder declared his intention of saving the boy. Friends tried to dissuade him, but he was resolute.

For hours the gallant firemen, lying in a cramped position, sawed at the great beam. Crackling and groaning timbers threatened his life, but he kept on. While he was working, the messenger boy was being nourished through a rubber tube.

Finally, cramped and worn, Snyder managed to cut through the beam. He gathered the helpless boy in his arms and carried him outside to safety, amid tremendous cheers from the waiting thousands.

For this act Capt. Snyder was presented with a bronze medal by councils. This medal is the only one ever awarded by the city of Pittsburgh, and is treasured carefully by Capt. Snyder.

J. O. Brown, now recorder, was then director of the department. Peter Snyder's superior officer. He can hardly forget that council presented Snyder with a medal.

There are many stories that could be told of Capt. Snyder's bravery. A few years ago two men were working in a manhole in the First ward. A gas main bursted and death seemed inevitable. It was Peter Snyder who went into the death trap, tied ropes about the men and saved their lives. When the rescuer was hauled out he was unconscious.

Rescue of Fellow Firemen.

At the Pike street fire the men of Companies Nos. 1, 2 and 15 would have gone to certain death had it not been for Capt. Snyder. He saw the danger and led his brave followers to safety. He had hardly got them to a place of safety when the awful explosion happened.

If he had never done anything else to have history record him as a hero, the work of Capt. Snyder at the Evans fire was sufficient, many times over, to give him this distinction. A few days previous his wife had met a violent death and the day previous her funeral had occurred. Capt. Snyder had not returned to duty, but when he heard the alarm he responded. Arriving at the scene, he placed himself in command of the men of No. 1. There was a collapse of the floor and several firemen were caught. Capt. Snyder pushed through the blinding smoke. He found a man with both legs broken and started to carry him out. Some of his men wanted to assist and they were told:

"No, go back and help the other poor fellows."

Capt. Snyder staggered to an upper window. A ladder was hoisted, and, with the injured man in his arms, Snyder descended to a place of safety. Then, against the protest of his friends, he reentered the building and worked until midnight to save the other unfortunates.

Machine's Heartless Action.

The heartless political machine does not care for records. Deeds of bravery and heroism count for naught. It is simply a case of vote the way the boss wants or get out. So without a chance for protest, nor without opportunity for defense, the veteran Snyder was ripped out of office. The man who made the order probably knows better than any other the worth of Peter Snyder, but this is the curt way he notified the gallant captain that his services were at an end:

Pittsburgh, Nov. 30, 1901.

Peter Snyder, Esq., Fifth Assistant Chief Engineer, Bureau of Fire:

Dear Sir—You are hereby notified that your services are no longer required in the employ of the bureau of fire on and after November 30, 1901. Very truly yours,

J. O. BROWN, City Recorder.

It was odd that on the first night of his retirement to private life that there should be a fire in Capt. Snyder's house. The blaze started in the attic and caused a property loss of $15 before the flames were extinguished.

The dismissal of Henry Whitehouse, inspector of the Second police district, was just as cold. For 14 years he had served under Director of P. O. Brown, and there was no complaint about his services. Now that J. O. Brown has become recorder he permanently dismissed his former employe. It was done because Senator William Flinn ordered it. Mr. Whitehouse knows of no reason.

"I have never declared myself politically," said he, "since the change in local politics. I was reappointed under A. M. Brown and attended to my duties. There had been no election to test whether I was for Bigelow or Flinn. At the fall election I did all I could for the Republican ticket.

"I was appointed through the efforts of Senator C. L. Magee about 18 years ago. I was always loyal to him, as I have been to the other members of his family, and I will continue to be. Councilman W. A. Magee did everything possible for me, but Flinn and others were against me. I knew Saturday afternoon when "Doc" Magee left the conference that I was gone. I was never given a chance to explain any charges made against me. I was never even admitted to the throne-room. Of course, a man without a dollar cannot hope to get even with men of millions, but I have hundreds of friends in this ward, and they will stand with me."

FIFTIETH YEAR IS CELEBRATED

Semi-Centennial of the South Side Presbyterian Church.

THREE MEETINGS WERE HELD YESTERDAY

A Jubilee Gathering This Evening Will End the Exercisss—Church Is Prosperous, and Debt Is Being Steadily Decreased.

The Rev. Dr. Stephen A. Hunter, Pastor of the South Side Church.

Half a century of good work has been rounded out by the South Side Presbyterian church, and the semi-centennial is being celebrated by services commensurate with the importance of the event. Three services were held yesterday and tonight a jubilee meeting will be held.

Yesterday morning the Rev. M. B. Riddle, D. D., LL. D., of the Western Theological seminary, preached a memorial sermon. A very large audience greeted him.

A historical service, commemorative of the founding of the Sunday school and the church, was held in the afternoon. It was largely attended, 500 pupils of the school and about 300 visitors being present. After a short service of song, the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Stephen A. Hunter, read the One Hundred and Forty-fifth Psalm. The Sunday school superintendent, William H. Schuette, introduced the speakers of the afternoon. The first speaker was a former pastor, the Rev. Dr. J. C. Ely. He spoke briefly to the children on "Looking Unto Jesus." A. W. Duff, a former superintendent of the school, related some reminiscences of the days of his superintendency.

The Rev. Dr. R. S. Holmes of the Shadyside Presbyterian church talked to the children, and incidentally to the older folks. He said, alluding to the large crowd of children: "How many churches did you borrow these from to get such a crowd? Why, if you should go to Shadyside and scour the whole district with a dragnet you would not be able to gather half as many children as are here today."

Dr. Holmes said that he was glad to see so many boys in the audience. "I like boys," said he. "There is only one thing in this world that I like better than boys, and that is girls." He pledged the help of the Shadyside church to the South Side church whenever its help may be needed.

Dr. H. L. Reinecke, a former secretary of the Sunday school, made brief remarks of congratulation. George W. Jones, who has been secretary of the school for the past 20 years, and is still serving in that office, made a little speech. He says there is one thing to be regretted in the work of the South Side Sunday school, which is that the pupils after they have grown up to young manhood and young womanhood, cannot be retained, but pass out and forget the place.

William Gerrard, superintendent of the Arlington Heights mission school and assistant superintendent of the South Side Sunday school, told something of the work at Arlington Heights and of the need for larger and better buildings.

The Rev. Dr. J. C. Bruce of Allegheny spoke in congratulation of the pastor, Dr. Hunter, and the former pastor, Dr. Ely. He said that much of the success of the work there had been due to their labors. He said he had been traveling much in the past two years and had seen many Sabbath schools and that the South Side school compared favorably with the best he had seen.

The South Side Presbyterian church grew out of a Sabbath school which was organized in the old public school building in South Fourteenth street. In 1851 the church was organized as a result of the work done in the Sunday school.

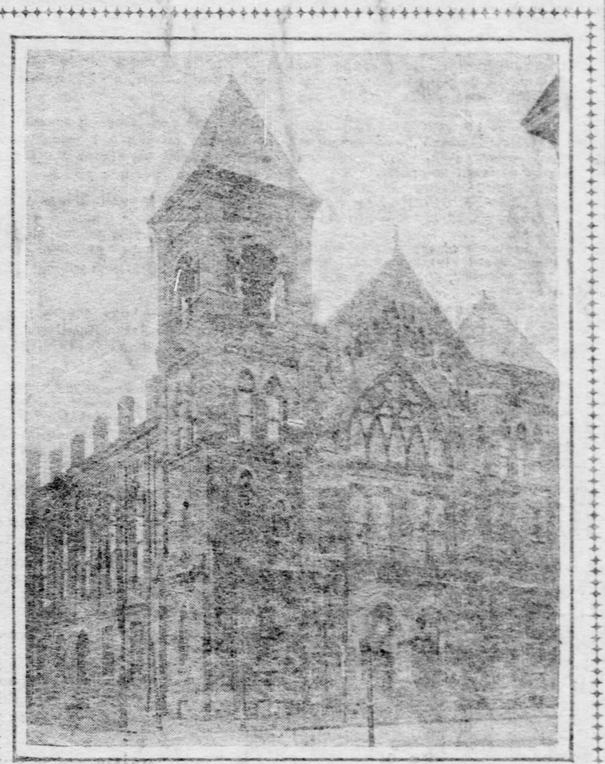
The Rev. Theodore I. Bradford was the first pastor. His immediate successor was the Rev. John C. Sinclair. Then came the Rev. James Dickson, who was pastor from 1855 to 1858. From 1858 to 1863 the Rev. James F. Reed was the pastor. The Rev. George O. Little succeeded Mr. Reed.

The present church building was erected during the pastorate of the Rev. Peter S. Davies in 1864. In 1872 the Rev. Griffith H. Humphrey became pastor and continued with the congregation for five years. The Rev. Dr. J. Calvin Ely succeeded him and was pastor until 1886, when the Rev. George W. Webster took charge. The Rev. Dr. Alexander Jackson was pastor from 1885 to 1888. The present pastor's immediate predecessor was the Rev. Dr. F. B. Farrand.

The present pastor, Dr. Stephen A. Hunter, assumed charge in 1894. He found the church laboring under a heavy debt. Since his pastorate began, seven years ago, the debt has been reduced from $20,000 to $10,000 and it is expected that $2,000 more will be paid off before the end of the year.

A memorial volume, in commemoration of the jubilee, has been prepared. It contains a history of the church and pictures of all the pastors of the church, the trustees, elders, deacons and other officers.

The Sunday services closed with the evening meeting at 7:45, at which Dr. Ely preached the reunion sermon. Letters from former pastors were read.



SOUTH SIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Rev. Dr. Richard S. Holmes, Pastor of the Shady Side Presbyterian Church.

TUNNEL WORK RUSHED.

Contractors Confident That It Will Be Completed Well Within the Three-Year Limit.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Nearly one-half of the expenditure for the digging and boring of the rapid transit tunnel has been made and the work is more than one-third completed.

Its progress bears out the prediction made by John B. McDonald that the tunnel will be ready for operation well within the three years' limit imposed upon the contractors. It is estimated that the work of excavating the tunnel will cost $28,000,000. Of this sum $11,245,000 has already been expended.

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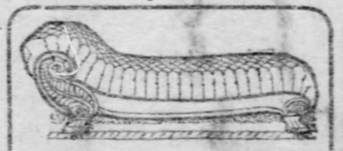

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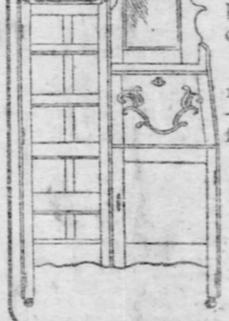

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 242.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of three hundred and thirty-five thousand ($335,000.00) dollars Street Improvement Bonds for the improvement of streets and for the erection and completion of the bridge on Shady avenue in the City of Allegheny, and providing for the liquidation of the principal and payment of the interest thereof, and repealing ordinances approved the 7th day of January, A. D. 1901, and the 21st day of June, A. D. 1901," approved the 21st day of September, A. D. 1901.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Section 2 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of three hundred thirty-five thousand ($335,000.00) dollars Street Improvement Bonds for the improvement of streets and for the erection and completion of the bridge on Shady avenue in the City of Allegheny, and providing for the liquidation of the principal and payment of the interest thereof, and repealing ordinances approved the 7th day of January, A. D. 1901, and the 21st day of June, A. D. 1901," approved the 21st day of September, A. D. 1901, which reads:

"Section 2. Said bonds shall be registered in the office of the controller of the City of Allegheny and are to be in denominations of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars each or a multiple thereof, payable as follows, towit: $11,000.00 on the first day of October, A. D. 1902, and a like sum of $11,000.00 on the first day of October of each year for a period of twenty-four (24) years thereafter, and the sum $12,000.00 on the first day of October, A. D. 1928, and a like sum of $12,000.00 on the first day of October of each year for a period of four (4) years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear date October 1, 1901, and bear interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. (3½ per cent.) per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the City of Allegheny, Pa., on the first day of April and the first day of October of each and every year until the same with the principal thereof shall be fully paid, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds are to be signed by the city recorder and the city treasurer and countersigned by the city controller, and sealed with the corporate seal of the city, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for the improvements of streets and for the erection and completion of the bridge on Shady avenue in the City of Allegheny, and to no other purpose whatsoever.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President of Common Council Pro Tem.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 28, 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY,
11291 City Recorder.

OFFICE OF CITY CLERKS.

City of Allegheny, Pa., Nov. 22, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of Common Council of the City of Allegheny on the 21st day of November, 1901, and was referred to committee on surveys.

ROBERT DILWORTH,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE — Widening Shady avenue, Eleventh ward, from Brighton road to Stokes avenue to a width of sixty (60) feet, according to accompanying plan and as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same. That the widening of Shady avenue, Eleventh ward, from Brighton road to Stokes avenue be and the same is hereby widened to a width of sixty (60) feet, according to accompanying plan.

The center line thereof being described as follows:

Beginning at a point of curve in the center line of Brighton road, said point being one hundred-fifty-four and thirty-two hundredths (154.32) feet south of the southerly line of Termon avenue; thence southerly by a prolongation of the center line of Brighton road, a distance of three hundred-eighty-eight (388) feet to the center line of Davis avenue, thence southerly by the center line of Davis avenue a distance of sixteen (16) feet, more or less, to a point, said point being five (5) feet west of the present center line of Shady avenue; thence southerly and parallel to the present center line a distance of one thousand five hundred ninety-eight and eighty-five hundredths (1,598.85) feet, more or less to the northerly line of Stokes avenue.

The damages caused thereby and the damages caused by the grade thereof and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed. 1126je

(No. 244.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the city recorder to enter into an agreement with James Hunter to receive from the said James Hunter the sum of sixteen hundred thirty-two and fifty-one hundredths ($1,632.50) dollars in full of benefits resulting to the property of said James Hunter from the opening, widening, change of grade and grading, paving and curbing of Perrysville avenue.

Whereas, by authority of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the City of Allegheny opened, widened, changed the grade of and graded, paved and curbed Perrysville avenue, and upon the petition of the City of Allegheny, viewers were appointed at No. 396 August term, 1899, to assess the benefits and damages for said improvements, and

Whereas, the said viewers as appears by their report filed at the above number and term, assessed the said James Hunter with benefits in the sum of four thousand one hundred and thirty-two and fifty hundredths ($4,132.50) dollars and awarded him damages in the sum of twenty-five hundred ($2,500.00) dollars, and,

Whereas, the time for filing exceptions and taking appeals from the report of the said viewers has passed and the said report by reason of numerous exceptions filed thereto and appeals taken therefrom, has not yet been confirmed absolutely by the court, and

Whereas, neither the said James Hunter nor the City of Allegheny has filed exceptions to nor taken appeals from the action of the board of viewers so far as relates to the assessment of benefits and damages against the property of the said James Hunter, and

Whereas, the net benefits so assessed as aforesaid, are equitable, just, reasonable and adequate, and satisfactory to both the said James Hunter and the City of Allegheny, and the said James Hunter is unable to dispose of his property until the matter is finally determined or a contract entered into between him and the said city, agreeing that the said benefits shall be paid by the said James Hunter as soon as this report of the board of viewers, or any other subsequent report that may be filed, shall be confirmed absolutely.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the city recorder be, and he is hereby directed to enter into an agreement with James Hunter that the net benefits of sixteen hundred thirty-two and fifty hundredths ($1,632.50) dollars assessed against James Hunter in No. 396 August term, 1899, shall be considered as equitable, legal, just, satisfactory and conclusive as to both the said James Hunter and the City of Allegheny and that when the question of the benefits and damages by reason of the improvements of Perrysville avenue, now pending at the above number and term, shall be finally approved by the court, the said James Hunter will pay unto the said City of Allegheny said sum of sixteen hundred thirty-two and fifty hundredths ($1,632.50) dollars which shall be in full settlement of the claim of the City of Allegheny for benefits of James Hunter from above improvement.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

GEO. W. SNAMAN,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.

12021

(No. 247.)

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the purchase of one (1) five (5) million gallon pumping engine, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Howard street pumping station for the bureau of water, instructing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, and providing for the payment of the same.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the purchase of one (1) five (5) million gallon pumping engine, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Howard street pumping station, for the bureau of water, in accordance with the specifications prepared by and now on file in the office of the director of the department of public works, is hereby authorized.

The city recorder and the said director are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. The cost and expense of the above improvements to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of water bonds.

Section 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JOHN R. MURPHY, City Recorder.

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LOCAL NEWS OF ALL PITTSBURGH

Population 728,664	THREE CITIES 45 BOROUGHS 26 TOWNSHIPS
Area Sq. Miles 316.22	Fifth in Volume of bank clearings--Fourth in rank among cities.

Died from Convulsions—Michael Sabol, the 6-weeks-old son of Mary Sabol of No. 1241 River avenue, Braddock, died of convulsions yesterday morning.

Negro Has Smallpox—George Alexander, a negro, was sent to the pesthouse last night with a well-developed case of smallpox. He had been staying at Hope mission and became very sick. He says his home is in Greenfield, O.

Aged Citizen Dead—The coroner was notified last night of the death of Walter Harvey, one of the oldest residents of Woodville, who died suddenly about 10 o'clock on Saturday night of paralysis. He was 72 years of age.

Held Memorial Services—McKeesport post G. A. R. held memorial services Saturday in memory of four members of the post who have died recently. The dead members are J. A. Mellenker, E. M. Cooly, A. S. Boyd and J. C. Douglass.

Killed by a Train—A man about 25 years of age was struck and killed by a Panhandle train at Ft. Pitt at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. From a letter found in his pocket addressed to the old country it is presumed he is Andy Talmercsyk of Walkers Mills.

Sent to the Hospital—Thomas Devaney was sent to the Homeopathic hospital from Central police station yesterday morning suffering from congestion of the brain. He had been arrested for drunkenness at Eleventh street and Liberty avenue and took a hemorrhage at the station.

Died From His Injuries—James A. Koerber of Duquesne died at the McKeesport hospital at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon from an injury sustained on October 9 at the Carnegie steel works. He fell while at work on an electric crane and fractured his spine. He was 18 years of age.

Neglected His Wounds—Joseph Fisto, a North Braddock Hungarian, shot himself twice in the hand last Friday night while cleaning a revolver. He did not see a physician until last night, and his hand was in terrible condition. Blood poison has developed and Fisto will lose his hand and possibly his arm.

Dropped a Lighted Match—Fred Bobering's stable on Hill street, South Side, was burned to the ground last night at 6:30 o'clock, entailing a loss of $500. A boy, while feeding hay to the horses, dropped a lighted match and could not overcome the blaze. Two horses in the stable were taken out uninjured.

Hungarians Had a Fight—During a free-for-all fight at a Hungarian boarding house at No. 2314 Forbes street yesterday afternoon, Stana Kiokotia, one of the participants, was hit on the head with a club and badly cut. Policeman Thomas F. Rohan arrested Kiokotra and Peter Dusak and John Staka, his alleged assailants.

Had Three Chickens—William O'Heron of Lacky avenue, Allegheny, was found at 5 o'clock yesterday morning at Ontario street and Preble avenue with three chickens under his arms. He could not give a good account of where he got them, and Policeman Frank Pfarr sent him to the Central station charged with being a suspicious person.

Police Court Cases—There were 128 prisoners given hearings in the various police stations of Pittsburgh and Allegheny yesterday. Magistrate Bernard McKenna at Central police station had 75 cases, and imposed some heavy penalties. Most of the cases before other magistrates were of a trivial nature, ordinary drunks and disorderlies.

Died from Alcoholism—Mrs. Agnes Brown was found dead in bed at 6 o'clock yesterday morning at her home in the rear of 42 Washington street. Dr. F. D. Elliott told the coroner her death was due to alcoholism. Her husband said she was intoxicated when she went to bed at 1 o'clock in the morning, and he found her dead when he awoke. She was 39 years of age.

Serious Freight Wreck—By the derailment of a car in a Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston freight train at Becks run yesterday morning several cars were badly used up. The stove was upset in the caboose and the caboose destroyed by the resulting fire. The damage will reach several hundred dollars. No one was hurt. Passenger trains were delayed for several hours.

Went Violently Insane—Robert Brisbine of Spring Hill, near Wilmerding, went violently insane last night at his home. He was injured about the head in a railroad accident some time ago, and his condition is said to be the result of the injury. He was removed to the Braddock police station with great difficulty, and will be taken to the insane department at Woodville today.

Made Two Attempts—J. W. Conners, a tailor at No. 2224 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, reported to the police yesterday that two attempts were made Saturday night to break into his house. About 12 o'clock he was awakened by hearing a noise and investigating found that some one had tried to gain an entrance. Another attempt was made about 2 o'clock, but he says that his moving about frightened the robbers away.

Big Temperance Rally—The general officers of the Catholic Total Abstinence union in this vicinity had a big rally in St. Patrick's church, Seventeenth and Liberty streets, last night. The Rev. Father Price of St. James' church, West End, delivered a stirring address on total abstinence. There were several priests in the sanctuary, among them Father Kittell, chancellor of the Pittsburgh diocese, and Father Conway of St. Richard's.

Epilepsy Caused Death—Edward Hottewitz died suddenly at the residence of his cousin, Harry Mewes, at No. 110 Southern avenue, Mt. Oliver borough, yesterday morning. He was subject to epilepsy from childhood and at 6 o'clock burst into his cousin's room while suffering from an attack. Before aid could be given him he was dead. He was 48 years old and formerly lived in the upper South Side, where he was known as Edward Knolde.

Sensation Is Expected—The report of the investigating committee appointed by Homested councils to inquire into the charges preferred against Chief of Police West Noble and Capt. John Cavanaugh, will be presented to councils this evening. The charges grew out of the raid of speakeasies a month ago. Burgess J. Clyde Miller, charged the police officials with numerous irregularities and the report is expected to be of a highly sensational nature.

Will Burn the Bonds—The congregation of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Braddock will burn the last vestige of indebtedness on its handsome church building next Wednesday evening. Special services have been arranged. They will commence at 7 o'clock in the evening and last three or four hours. The first hour will be devoted to a praise service and the bond-burning will follow. Old members of the congregation and former pastors will make addresses.

New Line Opened—The Wilmerding and Pitcairn division of the Monongahela Street Railway Company was opened for traffic yesterday. The line is seven miles long and extends from Wilmerding to Stewart station. Since the street car consolidation the line will not be run in opposition to the United, as was originally intended. United Traction Company cars were operated on the road yesterday. The line is complete with the exception of a small strip in Patton township, which is tied up in litigation.

Tried to Drown Himself—John Lallis, a newspaper reporter from Morgantown, W. Va., attempted suicide at McKeesport yesterday by drowning himself in the Monongahela river. He walked down Market street and, at the foot of the street, waded out into the water. A. S. Riegner, who was standing nearby, plunged in and started to swim to the man's rescue. After bringing him ashore the police were notified. In the meantime Riegner succeeded in resuscitating Lallis. At the police station he gave his name and said he was 39 years old.

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DEATHS.

ASHWORTH—On Saturday, November 30, 1901, at 10:30 p. m., EDNA MARIE, daughter of Lovicy and the late Joseph Ashworth, formerly of Allegheny, aged 14 years, 2 months and 3 days.

Funeral services Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of her uncle, Andrew J. Glendening, No. 432 Dewey street, Knoxville. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock in Uniondale cemetery.

BAILEY—On Sunday, December 1, 1901, at 8:30 a. m., MARTHA L., wife of John H. Bailey (nee Birdie Prescott), aged 28 years, 7 months and 14 days.

Funeral from the residence of her father, William Prescott, No. 22 Isabella street, Allegheny, Pa., Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Peter's Roman Catholic church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BAILEY—On Saturday, November 30, 1901, at 6:45 p. m., WILLIAM SCULLY BAILEY, in the 52d year of his age.

Funeral services at residence, 339 Fisk street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BONAWITZ—On Sunday, December 1, 1901, at 12:35 p. m., JOHN W. BONAWITZ, aged 73 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1411 Franklin street, Allegheny, on Tuesday, December [illegible] 2 p. m. Interment private later.

CALVERT—On Saturday, November 30, 1901, at 11:25 p. m., ALEXANDER H. CALVERT, D. D., pastor of the United Presbyterian church, Etna, in his 65th year.

Funeral services at the church on Tuesday, December 3, at 2 p. m. The remains will be taken to the church at 1 o'clock. Interment private.

HUFF—On Saturday, November 30, 1901, at Whitmer, W. Va., of pneumonia, A. J. HUFF, in his 58th year. He was a well-known river mate and traveling agent. Remains at his late residence, No. 1244 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny City, Pa.

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HARVEY—On Saturday evening, November 30, 1901, at Woodville, Pa., WALTER HARVEY of No. 1208 Esplanade street, Allegheny, in his 71st year.

Funeral services from H. Samson's chapel, 433 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

IRWIN—On Sunday, December 1, 1901, at 1 p. m., MARY JANE, daughter of J. Templeton and Alice Shields Irwin, aged 1 year and 10 months.

Funeral services on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

KANE—On Saturday, November 30, 1901, at 11:30 p. m., EDWARD KANE, aged 38 years, at his residence, 95 Knox street, Allegheny, Pa.

Funeral services on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic church, Allegheny. Interment at St. Mary's cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KIRKER—On Saturday morning, November 30, 1901, at 2:45 o'clock, MARIA M., wife of John W. Kirker.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 1309 North Highland avenue, East End, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

OWENS—On Sunday, December 1, 1901, at 10:15 a. m., MARY WARREN OWENS, in the 76th year of her age.

Funeral services at the residence of her nephew, Dr. Alfred R. Edwards, 1007 Ann street, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

[Ironton and Massilon (O.) papers please copy.]

SICKENBERGER—On December 1, at 7:30 a. m., HARRY SICKENBERGER, son of Emil and Carrie (nee Gerhardt) Sickenberger, in his 2d year.

Funeral December 3 from 39 Somer street, city.

SLATTERY—On Friday, November 29, 1901, at 12:45 p. m., KATHERINE E., daughter of Thomas and Katherine Slattery.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, 1821 Webster avenue, on Monday, December 2, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Brigid's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WALKER—On Saturday, November 30, 1901, at 2:20 a. m., ROBERT WALKER, in his 58th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, corner Bell and Grant avenue, East Carnegie, Pa., on Monday, December 2, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WALTEN—On Sunday, December 1, 1901, at 12:45, MISS EVA WALTEN, beloved daughter of Mrs. M. J. and the late Josephus Walten.

Funeral services this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Simons' undertaking room, Arch street, Allegheny. Interment private at Uniondale cemetery.

WILSON—On Saturday morning, November 30, 1901, at 7:30 o'clock, NANCY HARPER, widow of William Wilson, aged 90 years.

Funeral service at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Jane Loughridge, 1204 Webster avenue, on Monday afternoon, December 2, at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

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VICTIM CAUGHT HIS ASSAILANT

FOURTEEN-YEAR-OLD BOY RECOVERED HIS WATCH.

Raymond Dinzer Did Not Appeal to the Police, but With a Companion Followed the Boy Who Took His Watch, and Not Only Got His Timepiece Back, but Took the Thief to Central Station.

A novel arrest was made in the downtown district yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock. Raymond Dinzer, 14 years old, of No. 18 Cassatt street, had his watch snatched from him by a messenger boy while walking on the boulevard. He did not report the matter at police headquarters or weep over his loss. He hunted up one of his companions, and they searched the streets until they caught the juvenile thief and had him locked up in the Central police station as a suspicious person.

The offender is Frank West, 14 years old, of No. 427 Thirty-third street. When he was placed in custody by the boys he returned the watch to Dinzer and begged to be released. The lads were firm and informed West that he was guilty of highway robbery and dragged him to the police station.

Raymond Dinzer was taking a Sunday afternoon walk on the boulevard. He was alone. While taking in the sights he paid no attention to anyone that passed him. Suddenly he received a jolt on the side that sent him to the pavement. In the impact he felt his watch being pulled from his coat pocket.

He was dazed. When he gathered himself to his feet he saw a boy about his size and age running toward Union station. The lad was dressed as a messenger boy. Dinzer called to him to stop, but the boy ran on. Dinzer was indignant at being knocked down and robbed by a boy of his own size and age.

He started to look for some of his friends. Walking toward the Union station he meet Frank Lofink of No. 1815 Cassatt street. After relating his experience the boys started to hunt the young thief. They walked along Smithfield street until they came to Diamond street.

They noticed a number of boys in Diamond street near Wood gathered in a group shooting craps. Young Dinzer saw the boy they were looking for, and they started down Diamond street after him.

Dinzer pointed West out to Lofink and they separated. Lofink went up to West and said: "You are the young fellow that I am looking for. I am going to lock you up."

West was amazed at first and started to pull away. Then Dinzer ran to his friend's assistance. "You are the fellow who took my watch, and I want it back," he said.

West struggled to make his escape, but was subdued by the two boys. Lofink grabbed him by the collar and Dinzer pushed him from the rear, and he was dragged to the police station.

When the lads arrived at the police station Sergeant Adolph Metz was astounded at the trio as they entered. Lofink and Dinzer acquainted Sergeant Metz with the details of the case, and West was placed behind the steel bars for a hearing this morning.

West was crying when he entered the police station. The only excuse he gave for his bold act was that he was hungry and had no money to get anything to eat. He said that he had been working in Youngstown, and had been here three days.

The American District Telegraph Company say they do not know the boy. Later young West confessed that he had purchased the uniform at a store.

LARGE GOSPEL MEETINGS.

Special Musical Program at the Bijou Theater Yesterday.

The gospel meeting conducted in the Bijou theater yesterday afternoon by the Rev. S. Edward Young, was the largest of the meetings yet held there. A specially fine musical program was rendered by the Pittsburgh Philharmonic orchestra, Theodore Wefing, conductor, and the chorus choir from the Second Presbyterian church. The Rev. Mr. Young's sermon on "What Shall I do Then With Jesus," taken from Matthew 27:22, was impressive. He said in part:

"About the meanest thing a modern Pilate can do is to point his finger at a modern Jew and mutter 'You killed Christ.' Strong reason exists for believing that some of your and my Saxon and Scotch ancestry during old Pilate's time were cannibals. Shall you and I be held responsible for the people they ate?

DEATHS OFFICIALLY REPORTED.

The following deaths were reported to the bureau of health yesterday:

Allegheny.

COMBS, WILLIAM A., 50y., 15 Synder street.
GOETZ, ROBERT, 21y., 103 Taggart street.
M'CHESNEY, ALEXANDER, 52y., 1416 Marshall street.
ROBINSON, ELIZA, 8y., 181 Island avenue.
SCHWINDT, WILLIAM, 47y., 27 Hazley place.
STOWERS, LEWIS H., 40y., 520 Rebecca street.
WILLIAMS, JANE, 81y., 600 Preble avenue.

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Men's Lounging Robes
Men's Smoking Jackets
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Mittens
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Table Linens
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1901.

FOURTEEN PAGES.

The Governor's Responsibility.

The governor is responsible for the dismissals from the municipal service on Saturday. He is responsible for the removal of the old soldier who served his country gallantly in the civil war and who has as gallantly faced the perils of fire in the city's service as he faced the fire of the enemy in battle. The governor is responsible for the removal of that other fire fighter who is the only man of the department ever awarded a medal by councils as a recognition for duty well and nobly done. He is also responsible for the turning out of public servants who were found in office by the former recorder and retained in their places for their record of good and faithful service. He is responsible for former employes going back, not to their familiar work, but to new places. He has admitted it over his own signature and cannot dodge.

In his introduction to that famous postscript of November 21, William A. Stone set forth certain excuses for the removal of Maj. Brown from the recordership of Pittsburgh.

When these high-sounding utterances of November 21 are read with a knowledge of what happened to a choice assortment of official heads on Saturday they seem as so much sounding brass. The public has been informed by the new recorder that he attends to the business of the city until 3 p. m. of each working day. During that time the bars are up against politics. After 3 p. m. the recorder puts off his official robes and proceeds from the city hall to the headquarters of the Republican city committee, of which organization he is chairman. He then and there begins the political business of the day. It was long after 3 p. m. on Saturday when announcement was made of the removal of nearly four-score public servants and the appointment of approximately the same number of persons to places of trust and profit in the city departments. As the recorder closes the municipal business of the day at 3 p. m. and begins the political business at or about that hour, these appointments and removals must be considered not as a part of the day's municipal business, but as a part of its political business. We have the recorder's statement for his division of the day and its labors, and this is how it works out. It is only fair to him to accept his word as truthful.

So much for the recorder. Now how about the governor? He is on record, and has declared, "I am quite willing to abide the consequences of my official acts." His explanations of his official acts stand or fall with the acts; he must also abide their consequences as well. Is the headsman's work in the "throne room" on Sixth avenue Saturday after the municipal business of the day had ended in answer to the governor's expression of belief that it is his "duty to hold matters steady in place until the people could speak at the polls?" Is this his idea of the proper way to hold matters steady? Does he see in the removals and appointments any "ambition to build up a political organization in Pittsburgh," and has he any information not given to the public showing that the removals of Saturday were "for no cause except that they were supposed to be adverse to this new (old) political organization?" Was the new charter on Saturday "violated by the removal of men from office for political reasons?" Were these removals against his protest or with his knowledge and consent? And as to the old soldier, where was the governor's earnest request in his case?

Where does the "independence" of "the 3,000 or more officeholders in Pittsburgh" vanish to if the recorder can shut up the municipal shop at 3 p. m., and join Senator Flinn in the Sixth avenue "throne room" to show that the governor didn't mean anything by it when he said they (the 3,000 or more) "should be given plainly to understand that the best tenure of office is the faithful and efficient discharge of public duty," and that "the fear of losing office through failure to produce political results in their precincts should be removed?"

The people of Pittsburgh were assured by the governor in his literary effort of November 21, published in full in all the Pittsburgh papers of the following day, that "the new charter prohibits removal from office for political reasons * * * and guarantees him (the officeholder) protection by trial on charges preferred." Where was the charter protection for the men removed on Saturday? When were charges preferred against them and what were the charges? When were they given trial "on charges preferred?" By whom were they tried? Who passed sentence on them? The records of the "throne room" may show, the municipal records will not. As the governor feelingly inquired, "How can we expect these (protective) provisions of the law to be enforced by an elective recorder if we remain silent and permit the violation of the spirit and the letter of the law by a recorder appointed by the executive to set the pace in the faithful execution of the law?" It is for you to answer your own question, governor. You answered it to Adam M. Brown in this way:

> Dear Sir—By virtue of the authority vested in me by law I hereby remove you as recorder of the city of Pittsburgh. Very respectfully, WILLIAM A. STONE,
> Governor of Pennsylvania.

But perhaps all Browns do not look alike to the governor. Perhaps when it happens in the "throne room" it is not the same as when it is done at city hall. However this may be, the responsibility is the governor's. He has made it his. He claimed it for his own. He must "abide the consequences," as he declared his willingness to do. His power and authority are recognized by those who are now in charge of the municipal government, speaking for whom Senator Flinn on Friday night, at the meeting of the Republican city committee, admitted the truth of Mr. F. C. Beinhauer's statement: "We do not know how long a lease of life we have got in this thing, because we are under the finger of Gov. Stone." And the senator further enlarged on the governor's power in the premises by adding for himself: "He may turn out our recorder." Power and responsibility go hand in hand. The power that was exercised on Saturday was delegated by Gov. Stone. He is responsible for the manner of its exercise. We do not think he will turn out the recorder, any more than we believe he was honest in his statement of reasons for his removal of Maj. Brown.

Much Work for Congress.

The Fifty-seventh congress, which assembles at noon today, will have plenty of work to do. As the United States is growing rapidly in population and in influence congressmen must legislate for more people than ever before; they must consider more diverse interests; they must endeavor to reconcile conflicting forces and adopt measures which shall benefit the greatest number of the population.

The appropriations are likely to be heavier than ever, for many projects of national value, and which will cost much money, have almost crystalized. One of these is the long-considered isthmian canal, to connect the waters of the Atlantic with those of the Pacific. In this project American engineers will succed where French engineers have failed. A river and harbor bill ought to be passed at this session. The navy, also, will be increased by the addition of several vessels of war, and provision made for officering and manning them.

When the appropriations reached $1,000,000,000 there was consternation. Speaker Reed reminded the people, however, that the United States had become a billion-dollar nation. It has grown since then, and it will require much money to conduct its business. Nevertheless, there should be no extravagance. Economy in national affairs is quite as desirable as in municipal and state governments. There is no disposition to oppose the spending of money judiciously, but waste will not be condoned.

Ireland's Aspiration.

Mr. Redmond, M. P., is not quite accurate, or perhaps he is not accurately quoted, in the statement that "England is trying to govern her possessions with one legislative assembly." It is true Ireland has no separate or subordinate legislature, and neither has Scotland; nor has Wales. But the little Isle of Man, in the British Isles, has its "house of keys," to which attention has recently been called by the election of Hall Caine to its membership. Canada, our near neighbor, is a British possession, and not only has a separate legislative assembly, but each of its provinces has one. Newfoundland, another British possession near at hand, has a separate legislative assembly. Then there is that other conspicuous example, the Australian commonwealth, with its parliament, and previous to the federation of its provinces each had its independent parliament. South Africa, which has the unbounded sympathy of our Irish friends, likewise has its parliament. All these legislative assemblies may be described as governing bodies of self-governing states. They have responsible control of the regions and territories they represent, so that it cannot be fairly said that "England is trying to govern her possessions with one legislative assembly." There is but one legislative assembly, it is quite true, for the British empire in Europe, aside from the Isle of Man, but there are many independent legislative assemblies in the British possessions. British statesmanship may some day, perhaps, see the wisdom of establishing separate parliaments for England, Ireland and Scotland, and perhaps for Wales, to deal with purely local concerns, after the fashion of the legislatures of the American states and of the provincial parliaments of Canada. But that will not be altogether pleasing to our Irish friends, for what they aim at, as Mr. Redmond does not try to conceal, is severance and complete national independence. An Irish republic is much more to their notion than the sovereignty of the British crown. If English statesmen had thought Irishmen would rest satisfied with a legislative assembly to deal with purely local concerns it might long ago have been established, but they know and have known, to use Mr. Redmond's language, that the "ultimate goal" is "national independence." Dependent Ireland may be a great bother to England, but independent Ireland is much more to be feared. Moral suasion may win many concessions, but it will not win independence. That may at some future time be wrung from England's weakness.

A Timely Official Rebuke.

President Roosevelt in giving his reasons for the removal of Gov. Jenkins of Oklahoma territory and the appointment of Thomas B. Ferguson in his stead deals official flexibility that considers personal advantage in the discharge of public duty a severe rap over the knuckles. The late governor of Oklahoma confessed to having contracted with the Oklahoma Sanatarium Company for the care of the state's insane wards and to have received for his own use as a part of the contract a large block of the company's stock. The president sees in this act a sufficient cause for the removal of the enterprising governor, and says, in concluding his review of the case:

> A sound rule of public policy and morals forbids a public servant from seeking or accepting any personal benefit in a transaction, wherein he has a public duty to perform.
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> A chancellor would not for one moment retain a trustee, who in dealings for the trust, reserved an advantage to himself. The thought is not to be tolerated that the president can be less vigilant and exacting in the public's interest.

There can hardly be two opinions as to the appropriateness of the president's act, and the country is to be congratulated that it has in the executive chair a man with such rigid conceptions of public duty and the courage to put them into action when the occasion demands.

The People and Buller.

In making a scapegoat of Gen. Sir Redvers Buller, less for his own shortcomings than for the sins of the British war office, the government leaders have not been able to carry public sentiment with them. At a dinner tendered the South African hero by the Devonian society in London on Saturday evening there was a remarkable display of enthusiasm by the people who gathered in great crowds on the outside of the hotel at which the dinner was given and cheered the guest of honor again and again. Yesterday was Buller day in London, and the demonstration in the general's honor was a revelation. That the general talked too much and at the wrong time is admitted on all sides, but subsequent events have demonstrated that there are more things to be reckoned with in explaining the army's failure in the Transvaal than the indiscretions of speech or action on the part of a man whose bravery is admitted, and whose error of judgment, as made public, contained the finest elements of chivalrous self-sacrifice.

There might have been no occasion for Senator Quay's declaration concerning Attorney General Elkin's candidacy for governor had Mr. Elkin been sufficiently pronounced in his condemnation of Gov. Stone's barter of the city of Pittsburgh. Had he promptly followed his words of disapproval with resignation of the commission he holds from the governor he would have established himself in public confidence and favor. But he did not do so, and now, too late, probably sees his mistake. The party leaders who are gathered at Washington for the opening of congress see it, and are practically unanimous that some one not associated with Stone must be chosen by the state convention to lead the Republican party to victory.

France is already drilling her police and military attaches, with the hope of pulling off the opening of the house of deputies in January without more than one or two serious hists.

There are any number of people who feel that they would be perfectly able to solve that "surplus" problem that seems to be worrying congressmen so much.

As the year draws to a close we may at least be thankful that there can be no discussion as to whether we are in the new century or still a part of the old.

Hall Caine has gone into politics and now the fellows who have seen his books played on the stage may have a chance to get even.

Fortunately the immense adverse opinion to Chinese immigration has not so far affected laundry prices in this country.

It is sincerely to be hoped that the new Vanderbilt heir will not be compelled to hear all that the newspapers said about him.

Colombia seems determined to make a hero of General Albans, at least until the next revolution.

Congress is expected to develop the usual number of "watch dogs of the treasury."

General Uribe-Uribe seems to have retreated entirely out of the South American situation.

Football was kicked into national favor at Philadelphia on Saturday.

EYE OPENERS.

False rumors are annoying,
But hotelkeepers say
The most unpleasant roomers
Are those who do not pay.
—Philadelphia Press.

"I think," said the amateur palmist, slanting the maiden's hand toward the light, in order to see the lines more plainly—"I think you are going to be married twice."

"Oh, dear," she said, "can't you just cut off the think and make it a dead sure once?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

"I see that a letter from Capt. Kidd has been found," said the Credulous Person, "and it tells all about burying his money, but leaves the location blank."

"Yes," replied the Cynical Party, "Capt. Kidd was the Pat Crowe of his day, you know."—Baltimore American.

"No, it wasn't a marriage for love. It was simply one of convenience, and they're tired of it already."

"How do you know?"

"I asked her where they spent their honeymoon, and she said they hadn't had any honeymoon—it was all glucose."—Chicago Tribune.

"No turkey this Christmas," groaned the poet. "They turned down my Christmas ode!"

"Never mind, dear," said his wife. "Turkeys above us, anyway. Write a dear little love song for a ham!"—Atlanta Constitution.

"She's a very cautious woman. Especially about gossip. No woman ever heard her retail any scandal."

"But I am told that stories confided to her in secrecy do get out somehow."

"Yes, I know. You see, she tells them all to her husband."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Two women met on Commercial street today who hadn't met in 20 years. "Why, you haven't changed a bit," each one screamed. Both were church members and ambitious to be truthful.—Atchison Globe.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—I guess it's the dumb ague he's got.

Mr. Crimsonbeak—No, it can't be; he's all the time talking about it.—Yonkers Statesman.

Carnegie in His Element at a Scotch Banquet

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, December 2, 1901.

"Carnegie of Skibo" enjoyed his annual treat last night. He presided at the dinner of the St. Andrew's society of the state of New York at Delmonico's, and for four or five blissful hours listened to the accents of his beloved Scotia, and did his part toward honoring his patron saint. Always a pleasant dinner companion, Andrew Carnegie is never more jovial than at this particular banquet. Thoroughly in accord with the sentiment of the occasion, steeped in the lore of his native land, and rich in the quaint humor that is characteristic of the land o'cakes, Mr. Carnegie has made a splendid president of the society for the last three years, and its members regret that his term of office has nearly expired. There were between 500 and 600 persons about the tables, and they represented much of the most distinguished Scottish element in this country. It was interesting to see Andrew Carnegie giving himself up entirely to the joy of the passing moments, without regard to the immense interests with which his name has been associated for so long. For the time being he was a Highlander, and he did not want to be anything else. His feeling was expressed in the first toast to which he responded: "The day an a' wha' honor it," and the fact that his name was down the menu heard portentously, as "Andrew Carnegie, LL. D." not make him forego the privilege of being hail fellow well met with his friends and compatriots about the board. Among the special guests of Mr. Carnegie were Mr. C. M. Schwab and Mr. J. W. Alexander. There are a great many Scots in New York state, and St. Andrew's day was celebrated by meetings at other places besides Delmonico's. The most important was in Grace church, under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, with Bishop Potter presiding. The bagpipes furnished most of the music at the dinner, and the melody received with the greatest enthusiasm was "Carnegie of Skibo," composed by the piper for this particular occasion.

Mr. Schwab's Scotch Repertoire.

The St. Andrew's society dinner, and Mr. Schwab's presence there brings to mind the fact that Mr. Schwab has an extensive repertoire of Scottish music. As all Pittsburghers know, he is an accomplished musician, and it is his delight to play the melodies of Scotland on the organ or piano. Mr. Carnegie enjoys this entertainment by Mr. Schwab, and no doubt it was the sympathy of the president of the United States Steel Corporation with Scotland and Scottish airs which brought him the honor of an invitation to last night's dinner.

Bad Season for Ocean Travel.

The Cunard liner, Campania, sailed from New York yesterday for Liverpool. This is not the time of year that Pittsburghers care about crossing the Atlantic, and very few of them appear on the ship's passenger lists. On the Campania this time there was only one, Mr. W. P. Cox.

Slippery Weather in New York.

It is estimated that 10,000 horses slipped down in New York city yesterday and the day before. There is no city in the country more dangerous for horses and human beings alike than New York when there is snow and ice on the ground. Tammany was not ready for ice, it seems, although a great flourish was made months ago over awarding contracts for removing snow. When the streets are slippery, horses must make the best of it. The S. P. C. A. has asked that sand boxes be placed at different points about the city, the society undertaking to sprinkle the sand where it is needed. Today, being Sunday, there was not much slipping of horses, because few were out, but it will be just as bad as ever tomorrow if the weather becomes colder, as seems likely. This is a great metropolis, and many millions of dollars are required every year to keep it going, but the administration seems to make little provision for unusual but possible contingencies.

Young Corbett Is Famous.

"Young Corbett," who laid low "Terrible Terry" on Thanksgiving day, is tasting the sweets of success. He came east a despised nobody; he has photographs of his arms and legs in the yellow journals today. What greater glory could a professional boxer ask? We are told now, at great length, about "Young Corbett's" good nature, his hitting ability, his science, his sweetheart, his father, his intention to take a rest before he fights again, and how he beat McGovern. Young Corbett came to New York yesterday, and will stay here until tomorrow, when he will depart for Denver, to be married, it is understood. It is worth remarking that the young fellow has already had an opportunity to open a cafe in "Pugilists' row" in Upper Broadway. He will not go into the liquor business, he says, but he will be an unfashionable champion boxer if he does not.

E. E. Smathers' Bargain.

E. E. Smathers, the Pittsburgh broker, is pleased over the bargain he got at the "Old Glory" horse auction in Madison square garden yesterday. It was Lord Derby, the grand horse that defeated Borulma some time ago. At that time Mr. Smathers made a bid for Lord Derby of $20,000, which offer was refused. He got him for $16,500 under the hammer at the garden. He is a dark bay gelding, a son of Mambrino King and Claribel. His record is 2:09¼ and the last half mile of a winning race he trotted in 1:00¼. Mr. Smathers is one of the best-known figures on the Speedway, where he always brings out some good horse worth looking at. A year ago he created a sensation by beating everything on the Speedway with his little wonder, Alice Barnes, which he had picked up for considerably less than $100, when it was drawing a grocery wagon, and which, under his development and care, became worth as many thousands as he had paid dollars for her.

Painter Objects to Hurry.

When E. A. Abbey, the artist, said yesterday that he could not work here because there is too much everlasting hurry in America, he merely repeated an old complaint. At the same time it is well founded. In Pittsburgh there is a great deal of activity, and big results are accomplished there in a short time, but there is not that confused bustle that Mr. Abbey well calls "everlasting hurry." Paint in New York? Well, perhaps he could not; but it is true that a great deal of good work is done by artists here and they care nothing for the hurry that is always in the air. This is a bustling—unnecessary bustling—town, but one can attend to his own particular work if he had the faculty of self-concentration. Possibly Mr. Abbey is too sensitive to external impressions. New Yorkers hardly know whether to take the artist's sentiments as a compliment or otherwise.

Changes in Theater Programs.

There will be more changes in Broadway theaters tomorrow night than there has been any week since the beginning of the season. With Richard Mansfield in "Beaucaire," at the Herald Square; Virginia Harned in "Alice, of Old Vincennes," at the Garden, and Charles Dalton in "The Helmet of Navarre," at the Criterion, we lose temporarily Dan Daly, E. H. Southern and William Faversham. They are all going forth to break a few century hearts ere they return to town—in such hamlets as Chicago, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Pittsburgh—all of them "country" in the eyes of the self-sufficient Gothamite. Annie Russel will produce Clyde Fitch's new comedy, "The Girl and the Judge," at the Lyceum on Wednesday night. The theater will be dark tomorrow and Tuesday nights. We must not forget that Kubelik, the new violinist, is to open at Carnegie hall tomorrow evening.

Gotham Football Crazy.

There was a general exodus of football enthusiasts yesterday, all of them bending their steps, figuratively, to Philadelphia. There is good ground for saying that the metropolis is football crazy. At one time, while the Horton law was in force, boxing took the New Yorker away from his hearthstone in any kind of weather. He does not care so much for boxing now. What he wants is football. He will go to a gridiron with the snow over his insteps and a biting wind placing icicles on his moustache, and hang about the field for two hours without a murmur. So, when it was time for the crowd to gather at Franklin field, Philadelphia, yesterday, a large proportion of the assembly about the fence and in the grandstand came from New York city. And how they did cheer the victorious West Pointers.

Where Decorations Keep Clean.

The hotels up town never looked more glittering and attractive than they do now. The decorations that were placed in the lobbies for the horse show have not all been removed, and the familiar yellow and blue ribbons, with the great bunches of chrysanthemums, American beauties and violets are shining as if they had been renewed from day to day. So far as the flowers are concerned, they are not the same as were there on the first day, having been changed as they showed signs of serious wilting. But the ribbons are the same old ribbons, and it is a tribute to the cleanliness of the atmosphere of this city that they are almost as bright as when they were hung up two weeks ago.

Miss Gould's Only Fear.

Miss Helen Gould, who is a target for cranks of all kinds, is a remarkably cool young lady under fire. She says that she often receives letters from persons who cannot be in their right minds, and she observed yesterday, with the naivete that is one of her great charms: "I am afraid there are many demented people in the world." That was all. No fierce demand that these demented people, who may kill her some day if she is not carefully watched, should be arrested and placed where they cannot do harm. All she has to say is that she fears there are a number of crazy people roaming about, and she is sorry for them. The flowers that were sent to her the other day with some mysterious powder scattered upon them appear to have been harmless, but certainly the idea of receiving such a gift is not pleasant. Possibly the powder was merely a love philter. Even if that was so, no doubt Miss Gould would like to have the privilege of selecting her own sweetheart, and not have one forced upon her by spells and love powders.

Ermine Becoming the Rage.

Ermine is seen on women's cloaks in New York more generally than the old-est-fashioned observer can remember. The reason is obvious. At the coronation of King Edward VII. next year the peers will all wear their court robes, and the garments will be elaborately trimmed with ermine. It is reported that the price of the fur has gone up in London, which means that it will cost more in America. There is one encouraging fact about ermine for women who cannot afford to buy that attractive article, and that is, it is easily imitated in cheaper material, little black tails and all, and we may expect to see all American femininity wearing ermine next winter. This season it is the luxury of the rich only.

Changes in Broadway.

When the New York man about town has nothing else for a subject of chat, he can always fall back on the changes in Broadway. It appears now that we are to have the Long Island and Pennsylvania railroad terminals near Herald square. It is not a new idea, entirely, because we have been talking about it for the last two or three years. But the fact that great blocks of property have been bought in the neighborhood of the square, and that the Pennsy is supposed to be the power that is paying the money, has given fresh impetus to the gossip, and it is raging fast and furious in the Waldorf lobby tonight. There are so many men in that great gossip exchange who could speak authoritatively on this matter if they would, that what is said there carries more weight than mere street chat. It is conceded that some great mysterious operations are under way near the center of the tenderloin, and the people are, in a word, prepared for anything.

Preparing for Christmas.

With the passing of Thanksgiving, the stores have begun preparations for the Christmas trade. The shopping district was very busy yesterday afternoon and a floorwalker in one of the big department stores said that the Christmas rush had begun already. We shall sell more goods this Christmas, I honestly believe, than we have for two or three years, and I notice that there is a steady demand for higher-priced articles for holiday gifts. I take this as an indication that times will continue to be good and that there will be as much joviality at Christmas as there was at Thanksgiving. I may be wrong, but I do not think so."

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

BARTHOLDI.
J. H. Ammon.
FIFTH AVENUE.
Miss Lysle, Miss E. Lysle,
Clarence N. Heinz,
HOLLAND.
E. H. Jennings. Marshall A. Christy,
GRAND.
L. C. Vogel. M. C. Boyce,
IMPERIAL.
Morton Hecht, A. H. Hamilton,
E. R. Kenyon, William F. Hill,
W. J. Wiseman, James H. McRoberts.
HERALD SQUARE.
J. R. W. Tibby.
WALDORF-ASTORIA.
A. C. Overholt. W. H. Rodd.
Miss O. Aiken. Mrs. D. Aiken.
Mrs. J. C. Brown. J. C. Brown.
Miss R. McKnight. R. McKnight.

THE MAN UP A TREE

From a High Viewpoint.

Now for congress!

Washington City is itself again.

Missionary Stone does not stay dead long at a time.

The first year of the new century is on its last month.

Congress is expected to cut out some of the war taxes.

The hunter behind the gun is still engaged in reducing the visible supply of human beings.

The happy new year is only a month away.

Commercial Agent Bell says that Scotch whisky is being made in New York and sold in South America. Hoot mon!

Secretary Root asks congress to get him some more guns.

The sultan of Turkey has just accumulated another birthday. By way of celebration, a whole week was allowed to pass without the presentation to him of an overdue bill.

Kaiser Wilhelm is keeping warm this winter with the assistance of Pennsylvania anthracite coal; but he can't get our natural gas.

Congress will not place Minister Wu in charge of the American immigration laws.

It appears that Bloody Bridles Waite was willing to incur whatever disgrace attaches to dying rich.

Some of the Danes of St. Thomas are ungracious enough not to wish to become American citizens.

The Message.

Congress listens to a few remarks written by President Theodore Roosevelt.

A Noisy Interruption.

"That football game between West Point and Annapolis made quite a commotion in Philadelphia," remarked Mr. Beechwood.

"Yes," assented Mr. Linden; "it seriously interfered with the Quaker City's regular afternoon nap."

A Philosopher's Suggestion.

"There is a pathetic feature about these annual art exhibitions," remarked the Philosopher, as he sat on one of the benches in the Carnegie art gallery and took a comprehensive look at the picture-covered walls.

"Yes?" said his friend, interrogatively and encouragingly.

"I'll tell you what it is. It is the fact that there must inevitably be a great deal of bitter disappointment among those who have painted pictures and who have failed to impress the jury sufficiently to secure their acceptance. I've been about the institute a great deal in the last few weeks, and I tell you it made me feel a bit depressed to see the wagonloads of rejected paintings going back.

"Of course it's all right. It is impossible that everybody who submits a painting should send in one worthy to hang on the walls of the gallery, and it is only through disappointments of this sort that persons with a talent for color can cultivate that talent until it bears fruit. But the cultivation is difficult and trying—harrowing, I might say, to follow the cultivation simile—and I could not help feeling very sorry for the ambitious painters who have received their pictures back.

"Perhaps among them are some who have tried and tried again, and who have made this one last effort to succeed, with the determination to try no more if they failed this time. The public, I suppose, never gives a thought to the disappointed ones while discussing the pictures on the walls, praising and condemning. But I'll tell you what I should like to see," the Philosopher added, after a pause.

"What?" asked his hearer.

"I should like to see, as an experiment, a display of the rejected pictures. I think if the paintings that the jury failed to accept could be got together in a suitable place, and exhibited, say for some charitable object, with a small admission fee charged, that crowds of people would go to see them. Yes, I would like to see this experiment tried."

POINT BREEZE.

NEW LINE TO PACIFIC COAST.

Senator Clark and Thomas F. Walsh Said to Be Planning Transcontinental Railway.

DENVER, Dec. 1.—Senator W. A. Clark of Montana and Thomas F. Walsh of Colorado, it is rumored, have joined issues in railroad construction and will build practically a new transcontinental railroad. The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific is said to be in with Senator Clark and Mr. Walsh.

The new transcontinental line would give Senator Clark an outlet for his Los Angeles and Salt Lake City road, which has been left without one through the absorption of the two Colorado mountain lines by George Gould. The Rock Island would get a new and short route to California.

Mr. Walsh some time ago incorporated a railroad to be built from Ouray by way of Gunnison to Pueblo, if his alliance with Senator Clark shall be perfected, he would probably build to Liberal, Kas., where he will connect his road with the Rock Island. It is said that Senator Clark and Mr. Walsh will meet this week in Washington and there complete the deal whereby they will become partners in railroad construction.

IN THE WRONG GRAVE.

Corpse Interred Through Mistake in Family Burying Plot Is Removed to Potters' Field.

GREENVILLE, PA., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The body of the man buried as Oran N. Fletcher was exhumed from the family lot in the Jamestown cemetery Saturday and buied in the potter's field. This was the last act in one of the strangest dramas ever played in real life in Mercer county. On September 2 Oran Fletcher was supposed to have dropped dead in Cleveland and after the remains had been identified by Fletcher's wife and father they were brought home for burial. Six weeks later Fletcher walked into his father's home alive and well.

Every effort was made to identify the man who bore such a remarkable resemblance to the real Fletcher but to no avail. Among many rumors in connection with the case was one that the corpse had a bullet wound in the head. Examination of the remains proved the report false.

$25,000 for McKinley Memorial.

From the San Francisco Argonaut.

The subscriptions for a memorial to be erected in this city to the memory of President McKinley have been steadily pouring in, until now the fund exceeds $25,000. Though the future growth is likely to be slower, there is no reason to doubt that the $50,000 mark will soon be reached. The question as to what form the memorial is to take, therefore, becomes one of increasing importance. Suggestions have not been wanting, among those who have been spoken being the advocates of a statue, a fountain, a city garden, a hospital, a great column, and an arch.

Land Grant by President Van Buren.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

An unusual document has been placed on record by County Recorder Casteel at Brasil, Ind. It was a grant of 80 acres of land just north of there to Amos Archer, issued by the government in 1839, bearing the name of Martin Van Buren, president. The document had been handed down in the Archer family for generations, but as the heirs were preparing to divide the estate the well-worn document was placed on record.

THE DEATH ROLL.

The Rev. Dr. A. H. Calvert.

The Rev. Dr. Alexander H. Calvert, D. D., pastor of the United Presbyterian church of Etna, died early yesterday morning at Thomas station, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Dr. Calvert went to assist the Rev. George A. Murray, pastor of the Thomas United Presbyterian church, in the communion service, which were to be held on Saturday and yesterday morning. After dinner on Saturday evening he complained of feeling ill. He started out for a walk and when a short distance from the house he fell over unconscious, and remained so until his death. He had been a sufferer from heart trouble for many years, and it is thought this brought on the attack of apoplexy that terminated in his death. The Rev. Alexander H. Calvert, D. D., was born March 16, 1837, near Sherrodd, Beaver county. He received a common school education, and later attended the Beaver academy. He taught school for a number of years at various points in Beaver and Allegheny counties. At the opening of the civil war he enlisted in company F, One Hundred and Fortieth Pennsylvania volunteers, and was commissioned a lieutenant. He served two years and then was honorably discharged because of sickness. After returning home he entered Westminster college, from which he was graduated. He then entered the United Presbyterian Theological seminary and was graduated. After his graduation he received as his first charge the mission at Port Huron, Mich. In 1872 he accepted a call to the United Presbyterian church at Etna, which had just been formed. His term of service in Etna is the longest on the records of the Allegheny presbytery. For a time beginning about 1870, he conducted an academy at Shalersville which was very successful, but this was abandoned after two years on account of poor health. He had been many times a delegate to the General Assembly and synods of the United Presbyterian church. He also had served as moderator of the Allegheny presbytery. Dr. Calvert took an active part in the affairs of Etna borough, and during his life he had served as burgess, councilman and 26 years on the Etna school board. At the time of his death he was president of the school board. He is survived by his wife and three sons: Harry R. Calvert of the Pittsburgh Leader; George H. Calvert, an attorney at the Allegheny county bar, and J. Edward Calvert, a chemist in the employ of Pittsburgh Crucible Steel Company. The body will be taken to the Etna United Presbyterian church on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, where is may be viewed by the friends of the deceased. The services will be held in the church.

William Scully Bailey.

William Scully Bailey is dead at his home, No. 339 Fisk street, aged 51 years. He was stricken with paralysis more than a month ago and never recovered consciousness. He had been in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for nearly 30 years, and was a member of the Veteran association of that company. He is survived by his wife and six children, three daughters, Miss Blanche L., Miss Martha P. and Miss Ada N. Bailey, and three sons, John D., Jr., Ralph J. and J. Harvey Bailey. Mr. Bailey was a son of John D. Bailey, the well-known stock broker. He was a member of McCandless lodge F. and A. M., Tancred commandery, Knights Templar, and council No. 360 Royal Arcanum. He was a member of the Butler Street Methodist Episcopal church.

Henry J. Baumgartner.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Dec. 1.—Henry J. Baumgartner, a leading politician and business man of this city, dropped dead of heart disease at his home today. He was a candidate for mayor a year ago, and a few years ago was president of the common council. He was well-known throughout the state.

Arthur W. Soper.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Arthur W. Soper, president of the Pintsch Compressing Company, the Safety Car Heating and Lighting Company and a prominent figure in many corporations, clubs and other organizations, died after a months' illness at his residence in this city today.

FARMER FOOLED THIEVES.

Got Back His Stolen Money and Half Day's Work From Three Men.

RAVENNA, O., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—A Shalversville farmer and three Ravenna "laborers" played leading parts in a comedy here a few days ago. In the opening act they robbed the farmer of about $40, but before the curtain was rung down the farmer had got back his money, secured a half day's work out of each of the men and deprived them of their dinner. L. A. Hawley at Shalversville brought a wagon-load of potatoes to this place and had about $40 in his pockets. After the potatoes were sold he secured three men to go home with him and pick up potatoes. The party started for the farmer's home, seven miles north of here, and while on the road the robbery took place.

Hawley was half asleep in his wagon, but he knew what was going on, and in this played a shrewd part. He realized that if he had made any resistance he would be roughly dealt with, and so he played "possum." However, he kept an eye on their every move and watched who had the money. Arriving at the farmhouse, the farmer informed his wife what had taken place and instructed her and his son to watch the men. This was done, and the next forenoon the men picked potatoes in a nearby field.

When the noon hour arrived the men were called to dinner. When ready to sit down at the table Mrs. Hawley informed them that her husband was in an adjoining room and wished to see them. It is said that they supposed that he had a bottle in there, and they were not slow in finding their way to the farmer. The door was hardly closed when the men found themselves looking down the barrels of a 12-gauge shotgun. They were surprised to hear the command: "Throw up your hands!" but were not slow in doing so. "Now fork over every cent of that money or out goes your brains," said Hawley, with an accent which demonstrated to them that he meant it. One of them had all of the money hidden in his shoe and handed it over to its owner. The men were then instructed to open the door and depart. They did so.

TO UNIONIZE STUDENTS.

Federation of Labor Sees a Menace in Increasing Number of Manual Training Schools.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Manual training and technical schools were described by speakers at a meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor tonight as the gravest existing menace to industrial unions. Urgent need was pointed out for the organization of labor leagues among the pupils at these institutions.

It was asserted that the Chicago Telephone Company, in fighting the strikers, had found an apparently inexhaustible supply of non-union workmen among the graduates of the schools maintained, either wholly or in part, by the public. As a remedy the speakers advocated the organization of the graduates of technical and manual training schools into labor unions that would enforce the union scale of wages as well as refuse to take jobs vacated by union strikers.

SHOT BY HIS SON.

Boy Claims That He Was Trying to Protect Himself and the Rest of the Family.

GREENFIELD, IND., Dec. 1.—Robert Glasscock aged 70 years, a prominent farmer living near Greenfield, was shot and probably fatally wounded by his 17-year-old son last night. The boy was arrested and lodged in jail at this place.

He claims his father came home intoxicated and began abusing the family. After the father had struck him with a broomstick he fired at him, intending to frighten him off, as he had done on other occasions when his father had assaulted him. The bullet entered the father's right lung and physicians have but slight hopes of his recovery. The accused boy is grief-stricken over the affair, and while he admits the shooting, asserts that he did not mean to take his father's life.

No Such Favors to Foreigners.

From the Chicago Tribune.

Gov.-elect Cummins of Iowa is correct in his statement that there is one trade policy on the part of American manufacturers which the people will not tolerate as a permanent policy. That is the selling abroad at a less price than at home of goods the manufacture of which in this country is encouraged and protected by tariff duties.

PERSONALS.

The board of viewers, consisting of William Farris, Pittsburgh; Julius Le Moyne and J. F. Curran, Washington, Pa.; William H. Gutlick, Phoenixville; O. E. Thompson, West Chester; Geline Alexander and M. E. Lorn, Honesdale; W. W. McElree, West Chester, and John E. Stutt of Harrisburg, which had been appointed to view the new bridge over the Clarion river, a mile and a half above Clarion, has finished its work and forwarded its report to the Dauphin county court. The board was appointed by the Dauphin county court under the act of 1895, which provides that all bridges destroyed by storm or flood, may be rebuilt by the state on a petition of the citizens of the county in which the bridge was destroyed. The bridge near Clarion was destroyed by a flood about three years ago and the power of the act invoked for the building of a new bridge. This bridge has now been completed at a cost of $87,000. O. E. Thompson of Phoenixville, one of the board of viewers, who was seen at the Seventh Avenue hotel, said: "The bridge has been recently finished and the board met in Clarion at noon on Saturday and viewed it. It is a highway bridge, with 20 feet clear roadway, and its total length is 474 feet

AN ALLEGHENY PASTOR LEAVES

THE REV. DAVID M. SKILLING HAS RESIGNED HIS CHARGE.

Announcement Was Made Yesterday Morning at Service—He Goes to the Webster Grove Church, St. Louis. Central Church 200 Stronger in Membership Than It Was When He Took Charge.

The Rev. David M. Skilling, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Allegheny, announced from his pulpit yesterday morning that he had decided to accept the call extended him by the Webster Grove Presbyterian church of St. Louis, Mo.

The statement was made after the morning services had been concluded and was the cause of deep regret upon the part of the congregation. At the conclusion of the service the congregation crowded about their pastor and expressed

The Rev. David M. Skilling, Who Has Resigned From the Pastorate of the Central Presbyterian Church, Allegheny.

their sorrow at his departure, but with one accord they gave him their best wishes.

During October the Webster Grove congregation extended a call to the Rev. Mr. Skilling, but at first he was adverse to believing the truth of the report. Later the official notification came to him, and he decided to visit the St. Louis congregation.

This he did a few weeks ago, and preached a sermon one Sunday morning. Since his return to the city Mr. Skilling has studied the question thoroughly and believes that in accepting the call to St. Louis he is doing better work for the church. The congregation of the Webster Grove church numbers a little over 200, and is growing steadily.

The Rev. Mr. Skilling was born at Lonaconing, Md., and attended the public schools of that vicinity. He was graduated from Washington and Jefferson college in 1885, and from the Western Theological seminary in 1891. He accepted a call to the Market Square Presbyterian church of Harrisburg, Pa., in 1891, and served as assistant pastor three years.

In 1894 he received a call to the Central Presbyterian church of Allegheny, which he accepted, and has since continued as its pastor. When the Rev. Mr. Skilling took charge the membership was about 400, but since that time it has increased and now numbers 600.

Mr. Skilling says he expects to be installed in the Webster Grove church about the first of January.

THE THREE RIVERS

(SPECIAL TO THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE)

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1.—The towboats Coal City, Jim Wood and Pacific No. 2, passed through to Louisville during the day, while the Eagorie, with her tow of coal, went as far as Madison. The Charles Brown, Crusier, Ironsides, Valiant, James Moren, Raymond Horner, T. Dodsworth and Harry Brown arrived during the day and left their tows of coal in the various landings of the combine. Most of them will get away for Pittsburgh before midnight. The towboat Alice Brown was let into the water this morning and tomorrow or Tuesday she will leave for Pittsburgh. Stage at 6 p. m., 16 feet and rising. Weather clear and pleasant.

PODUCAH—River 2.6 feet and rising. Cloudy with indications of rain.

MEMPHIS—River on a stand, .2 below the zero of the gauge. The steamer Kate Adams that arrived this morning early, reports having run close to the sunken steamer John K. Speed. The officers state that the towboat Vernie Mae is alongside the steamer and that the sand digger of this port with big syphon pumps has commenced pumping on the sunken boat. The barge sunk by the big tug McDougall Friday evening will be a total loss. It is right in the channel, 300 yards from the government light.

EVANSVILLE—River 3.0 feet and falling. Weather partly cloudy and pleasant.

LOUISVILLE—River rising; canal, 6.0 feet; falls, 3.10, foot of locks, 8.6 feet. Business quiet. Weather clear and pleasant. No coal tows arrived, but one is expected down tonight. The Big Kanawha goes out tomorrow afternoon after making repairs. Capt. S. S. Brown of Pittsburgh and Pilot John Pearce of Cairo are here.

BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 9 inches and falling. Weather clear.

WAKEFIELD'S BUR—River 8 feet 6 inches and stationary. Weather clear and warm. The Bedford left at 6 p. m. for Wheeling. The Virginia is due down for Cincinnati at 10 p. m.

WARREN—River 2 feet 8 inches. Weather fair and warmer.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet and stationary. Weather partly cloudy and warmer. Woodward down Monday; Cherry up.

GALLIPOLIS—River 18 feet 6 inches and falling. Weather clear and pleasant. Queen City up.

POINT PLEASANT—River 9 feet 6 inches and falling. Weather partly cloudy and pleasant. Down, Greenwood, Harney Debus, Enterprise, G. W. Thomas, Cleaner, Tom Reese, Sam Brown; up, Golden Rod and Sunshine.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 5 inches and falling. Weather clear and mild.

PARKERSBURG—River 7 feet 5 inches and falling. Weather clear and cool. Up, Ben Hur at 11 p. m.; Kanawha at 1 p. m. and Keystone State at 5 p. m.

WHEELING—River 7 feet 10 inches and falling. Weather clear and cool. Departed, Ben Hur, Pittsburgh, 8 a. m.; Kanawha, Pittsburgh, 10 a. m.; Virginia, Cincinnati, 11 a. m.; Lorena, Zanesville, 4 p. m. Up with empties, Fred Wilson, 8 a. m.

MARIETTA—River 8 feet 3 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and pleasant. Virginia down, 8 p. m.; Loren, for Muskingum river, 10 p. m.

Boats Leaving To-Day.

Keystone State, Cincinnati, 4 p. m.
Ben Hur, Parkersburg, noon.
Edgar Cherry, Morgantown, 3 p. m.

At 9 o'clock last night the stage of water at Davis Island dam was 5.3 feet and falling.

The Keystone State, Ben Hur and Kanawha were due to arrive last night.

Capt. Jacob Meyer, who was at one time commander of the steamer Congo, is the partner of Capt. Harry Olum at the wheel of the Virginia.

The river business was helped by the switchmen's strike on the railroad, much freight having been shipped on the packets that usually went by rail.

Col. Will S. Hays of Jeffersonville says: "If the United States engineers fool with the Indiana chute on the falls much more they'll drain the river dry from here to Pittsburgh in low-water season."

The work of raising the Fred Hartwell is progressing fairly well. Chains have been placed under her and a barge is placed on either side preparatory to raising her. Bulk heading was not deemed practicable.

It has been decided by the management of the Cotton Belt and the Eastern Illinois railroad to span the Mississippi river at Thebes, Ill., with a bridge which will be over one-half mile in length, and which will cost at least $2,000,000.

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MONDAY, December 2.

"Without the smile from partial beauty won,
Oh what were man?—a world without a son."

A PRETTY WAIST.

An irregular curved yoke is always effective. The waist shown is of black peau de soie, with a yoke of Persian embroidery and appliqued gold leaves.

PRISCILLA'S PENCIL.

Has been very busy lately tracing up the vagaries to which the sofa pillow seems inclined to run. Time was when a patchwork pillow stuffed with feathers from the old gray goose was regarded as a delight not to be scorned, but that was in the days when pillows were designed for use rather than ornament. Even the many colored and much ruffled cushions which ousted the old patchwork fancy, however, were modest and unassuming compared with the hand-painted, gold-braided, silk-embroidered affairs of today. It needs an artist to design them, a professional to work them—and, I had almost said, a lunatic to enjoy them. But the girls are satisfied, and who dares cry nay? The Gibson pillow seems to have as illuminable a lease of life as the Gibson maid and the Gibson girl. At a fine showing in a local shop the other day I saw several illustrations, some on ecru backgrounds and others on red. One was the "Monday Morning," with the Gibson girl, long chin, large eyes and all, waving goodby to an unseen Gibson man, who is supposed to be speeding away on a train somewhere. Another is the golf picture "Is a Caddie Always Necessary?" and particularly apropos for a holiday cushion is the "Here it is Christmas—(and they began saying goodby in August)."

Speaking of Pillows—

Brings to mind a jolly one which an East End girl is working for her fiance. It is called "Ye Olden Tyme Smoker" and is designed for the den wherein he spends most of his bachelor time. Presumably it is intended to make him glad for the creature comforts about, which his ancestors had not.

The Gainsborough Duchess—

Now smiles sweetly from the top of a pillow cover and a smart ballet girl with very red skirts and very black and sinuous limbs, is shown to be a close companion to the "half-past ten," which proved so popular a picture for holiday giving last year.

A Poetic Girl—

Had a fine white linen square on which she coaxed a group of friends to write something typical. Another drew a girl's head with a picture hat and another made a few bars of a song just published. The rest contented themselves with making curious initial letters and monograms, which the girl has worked in bright reds and greens with gold threads glinting here and there. The music is in black, the girl's head in dull blue and the poetry in green, and as all are well grouped, with the monograms to fill in, the design looks quite interesting. Monogram pillows bid fair to become quite as popular as monogram frames, and certainly are much more characteristic, as scarcely two people would design alike.

The Flower Pillows—

Are especially loved by the sentimental. The top is in the shape of a flower; the pansy seems preferred, probably because the round shape lends itself so well to pillow purposes. The petals are worked and cut out, and then are joined to an under piece by ribbons or cord lacings. Silk is puffed out between these. One or two of these, a pansy and a daisy, for instance, make very ornamental additions to a heap in a cosy corner. They are of course, chiefly ornamental, being wholly unavailable for use to most people.

CURRENT MODES.

The Horse show in New York, which practically spells the first word of winter fashions in the metropolis has settled that lace waists may be worn with white or pale gray skirts, but never with dark ones. The most fashionable are those of Irish lace, with small velvet buttons to fasten behind. All ages look well in them. Matronhood wears them of black over white or vice versa, and usually with a touch of pale purple or heliotrope at neck and belt, and youth wears them of white, cream or ecru, always over white, and with pale blue around the neck, and blossoming forth in a big rosette on the breast.

Pale blue, by the way, has emphasized its favor in almost all the smart gowns shown in the boxes. At neck and belt a touch of it showed forth on every frock, no matter what the color. One lovely effect noted on a debutante of the season from Washington was a narrow vest of pale blue velvet, tucked in wide tucks straight across and running up to the chin in a high collar which seemed to be of a piece with the vest. The dress proper was widened on the shoulders to show the collar, and the narrowed on the bust until scarcely an inch of the velvet was visible at the waist.

White hats are in supreme favor this winter for smart carriage costumes afternoon visiting, receptions, club meetings and the like. White felt or white velvet, usually with black tips, plumes or wings, have the cachet of fashionable approval. The all-over flower toque is another fad of the winter, and violets, rosebuds, pansies and maiden hair ferns are twisted and coaxed into an embrace of my lady's locks, which transform her into a wood nymph for theater and concert.

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All-wool Challies, beautiful line of patterns just received—all the newest shades; worth 50c, at, per yard..... 39c

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 237.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of four hundred and thirty thousand ($430,000.00) dollars 'water bonds' for improving and extending the water system of the City of Allegheny, and providing for the liquidation of the principal and payment of the interest thereof, and repealing ordinances approved the 7th day of January, A. D. 1901, and the 21st day of July, A. D. 1901," approved September 21, 1901.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 2 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of four hundred and thirty thousand ($430,000.00) dollars 'water bonds' for improving and extending the water system in the City of Allegheny, and providing for the liquidation of the principal and payment of the interest thereof, and repealing ordinances approved the 7th day of January, A. D. 1901, and the 21st day of June, A. D. 1901," approved the 21st day of September, A. D. 1901, which reads:

"Section 2—Said bonds shall be registered in the office of the Controller of the City of Allegheny and are to be in denominations of one thousands ($1,000.00) dollars each or a multiple thereof, payable as follows, to-wit: $14,000.00 on the first day of October, A. D. 1902, and a like sum of $14,000.00 on the first day of October of each year for a period of nineteen years thereafter, and the sum of $15,000.00 on the first day of October, A. D. 1923, and a like sum of $15,000.00 dollars on the first day of October of each year for a period of nine years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear date October 1, 1901, and bear interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent (3½ per cent) per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the City Controller of the City of Allegheny, Pa., on the first day of April and the first day of October of each year and every year until the same with the principal shall be fully paid, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds are to be signed by the City Recorder and City Treasurer, and countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for improving and extending the water system in the City of Allegheny, and to no other purpose whatsoever," be and the same is hereby amended to read:

Section 2. Said bonds shall be registered in the office of the controller of the City of Allegheny and are to be in denominations of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars each or a multiple thereof, payable as follows, to wit: $14,000.00 on the first day of October, A. D. 1902, and a like sum of $14,000.00 on the first day of October of each year for a period of nineteen years thereafter, and the sum of $15,000.00 on the first day of October, A. D. 1923, and a like sum of $15,000.00 dollars on the first day of October of each year for a period of nine years thereafter. Said bonds shall bear date October 1, 1901, and bear interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent (3½ per cent) per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the City of Allegheny, Pa., on the first day of April and the first day of October of each and every year until the same with the principal shall be fully paid, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds are to be signed by the City Recorder and City Treasurer, and countersigned by the city controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the city, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for improving and extending the water system in the City of Allegheny and to no other purpose whatsoever.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENDRICKS,
President of Common Council Pro Tem.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 26, 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the city controller of the City of Allegheny, Pa., on the 1st day of April and the first day of October of each and every year until the same with the principal shall be fully paid, and the principal thereof shall be payable at their maturity at the same place. Said bonds are to be signed by the city recorder and city treasurer and countersigned by the city controller, and sealed with the corporate seal of the city, and the proceeds thereof shall be applied exclusively for improving and extending the water system in the City of Allegheny and to no other purpose whatsoever.

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Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENDRICKS,
President of Common Council Pro Tem.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 240.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the purchase of two (2) three hundred and fifty (350) horse power water tube boilers, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Montrose pumping station for the bureau of water, instructing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the purchase of two three hundred and fifty (350) horse power water tube boilers, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Montrose pumping station for the bureau of water, instructing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, be and the same is hereby authorized.

Section 2. The city recorder and the said director are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense of the above improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be superseded by the foregoing be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENDRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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London Cheers Buller | Peace Reigns in Colon

BRITISH WORKINGMEN SHOW THEIR SYMPATHY FOR GENERAL BULLER

Parade in His Honor and Pass Resolutions at Gathering in Hyde Park.

HISSED THE WAR OFFICE

LONDON, Dec. 1.—"Buller Sunday" passed without serious incidents. The government had taken every precaution to prevent disturbances. This included the reading, at three parades last week, of a special order in the military regulations, which forbids officers or soldiers from "taking part in any meetings, demonstrations or processions for party or political purposes."

A large body of police, many of whom were mounted, were stationed along the line of the procession's march, and notably in front of the war office. The trades unions and workmen's societies, with bands and banners, assembled along the embankment this afternoon. There were thousands of spectators. Owing to the difficulty of marshaling the large bodies of men, the procession was late in starting. It was headed by a huge banner on which was a portrait of Gen. Buller. The procession traversed Northumberland avenue, Pall Mall, St. James street and Piccadilly to Hyde park.

The windows of clubland and especially of the service clubs were crowded with sightseers.

At Charing Cross several mounted police rode up to the head of the procession and attempted to seize a plaster bust of Gen. Buller. The man carrying the bust dashed it to the ground. This incident caused much indignation, but the leaders were able to curb and restrain the gentlemen, some of whom wished to attack the policemen. Opposite the war office there was considerable groaning and cries of "shame" from the men in the procession, but otherwise the proceedings were without incident.

When Hyde Park was reached it was almost dark. Here speeches from several platforms representing England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Devonshire and the colonies were made. The confusion was so great as to render the words of the speakers almost inaudible, but amid a roar of cheers a resolution of sympathy for Gen. Buller was proposed and adopted with great enthusiasm and a wild waving of handkerchiefs and hats.

Features of the demonstration were the passing of collection boxes for a workingmen's memorial to Gen. Buller and the large sale of buttonhole portraits and favors of the general.

It is estimated that at least 50,000 people were present at the demonstration in Hyde park. This makes it the biggest thing of its kind which has occurred for many years.

EMPRESS FATIGUED.

Imperial Entry Into Peking Has Been Postponed for a Week on That Account.

PEKING, Dec. 1.—Prince Ching has informed the ministers of the foreign powers that owing to the fatigue of the dowager empress, resulting from her travels, the state entry of the imperial court's journey has been postponed for one week. Great preparations are being made for the reception of the royal party. All the palaces and temples have been repainted and regilded. The foreign residents of Peking have never seen these buildings look so imposing as now.

Upon the day of the reception the route followed by the royal cortege will be lined with Manchu bannermen and elaborate ceremonies will be observed. The condition of Peking has improved and good discipline is maintained among the European troops stationed here.

NO VICEROYALTY FOR MARLBOROUGH

Practically Settled That the Vacancy in Ireland Will Go to Lord Dudley.

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DUBLIN, Dec. 1.—It is now almost certain that Lord Dudley will succeed Lord Cadogan as viceroy of Ireland. It will be a very poular appointment. This puts an end to the rumors that the duke of Marlborough would receive the post.

By the way, I am told that the king has asked Lord Cadogan to stay on in Dublin until after his visit with the queen in April next. As far as I can make out at present the following arrangements have made made: The king and queen and their suite will be the guests of Lord and Lady Cadogan at Dublin Castle for three days. Afterward their majesties will go on a visit to Lord and Lady Londonderry, at Mount Stewart, then to Barons Court, as guests of the duke and duchess of Abercorn, and probably to Lismore Castle for a visit to the duke and duchess of Devonshire, and then back to the viceregal lodge, Dublin, for two days.

MACEDONIANS FALL OUT.

Bulgarian Government Impressed by Menacing Attitude of United States in Stone Affair.

SOFIA, Dec. 1.—M. Mihialowsky, president of the Macedonian committee, recently made a speech at Varna, Bulgaria, in which he denounced M. Sarafof, former president of the committee, and the Macedonians as agitators, murderers and blackmailers. Among other crimes, he accused them of kidnaping Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary.

The Macedonians of Sofia held an indignation meeting here today. Violent speeches were made denouncing M. Mihialowsky and in which Sarafof was eulogized as the hero of Macedonian youth. This incident is important as demonstrating the schism in the Macedonian camp.

Reports received here today from Dubnitza announce increased vigilance on the part of the authorities and the police of that place. Bulgarian official circles are evidently much impressed by the menacing attitude of the United States government in the Stone affair. They declare, however, that they are unable to do any more in the matter than they have done already.

PLAYED FOR THE KING.

Sousa's Band Entertains British Royalty at the Palace at Sandringham.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Sousa and his band played by royal command tonight at Sandringham before their majesties, King Edward and Queen Alexandra, and the royal family. The concert lasted two hours. At its close Mr. Sousa was presented to King Edward, who received him very graciously. The king displayed keen delight with the music. All arrangements were made for the convenience of Mr. Sousa's party. Dinner was served on board the train going to Sandringham and supper on the train returning to London.

It is particularly noticeable that King Edward has chosen an American company as the second company of artists to appear before his court since his ascension to the throne.

Turkish Mutiny Denied.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 1.—The report of a mutiny of Turkish troops in Elhedaz, Arabia, and the occupation by the rebels of the grand mosque at Jeddah, published in the United States, is officially declared to be a ridiculous invention.

Famous Cricketer Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—George Lenman, the famous cricketer, is dead.

FLYING MACHINES FOR SALE IN LONDON

Motor Company Sets a Price on Airships and Is Prepare to Build Them.

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LONDON, Dec. 1.—Anyone in London may buy a flying machine now. M. Santos-Dumont's daring and successful flights have induced the Motor Power Company to build a flying, steerable machine for anybody prepared to spend $5,750.

The machine offered is, broadly speaking, on the lines of those in which M. Santos-Dumont lately flew around the Eiffel tower, Paris. The balloon is 75 feet long by 25 feet, and has a capacity of about 25,000 cubic feet. The balloons are being made by the expert foreman of the Crystal palace, Mr. Spencer, and will carry his guarantee. The machine is steered either by rudder or by altering the direction of the propeller.

LONDON IS GLOOMY.

Many Unfavorable Conditions Tend to Depression in Finance and Trade.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—During the past week the stock exchange has been anything but a cheerful resort. Money has been decidedly tight, forcing borrowers to have recourse to the bank. Fortunately the government's disbursements have been larger for this week. France also shows a disposition to increase her balance in London, while the hope is expressed that further gold will be forthcoming from New York. But with the approach of the year-end and a large slice of the last loan soon due there is small hope of easy money before well into January of next year. In the meanwhile business is as stagnant as ever.

The industrial situation is decidedly bad. The Welsh miners who have been stopping work in the blind hope of raising prices by restricting the coal production, have merely succeeded in irritating the owners, who now threaten a lockout, while the reported uncertainty of the Welsh situation has thrown numerous steam coal contracts for Great Britain and France into the hands of German and American competitors.

The copper situation is enveloped in as much mystery as it has been for months past, and there is a feeling in the air that unfavorable developments are imminent. Silver is closely allied to copper, and the present phenomenal decline in copper takes to indicate that American interests, which are there believed to have been maintaining artificially high prices, are about to relax their grip. A sharp break in both metals is possible.

It is only fair to say that such gloomy views are largely based upon the inference of speculators, and are probably intensified by the general discontent in the industrial lookout and the never-ending war in South Africa.

The situation in Germany adds a certain encouragement. While it is believed here that the worst of the German financial crisis is over, the present industrial stagnation in that country supports the theory that numerous smaller fatalities are bound to be reported at intervals for months to come. Such an outlook is scarcely encouraging for promoters. There are rumors of a new German loan, and it is said in some quarters that the rumored loan will probably be issued in February.

Dillon Counsels Fight.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—John Dillon, M. P., addressing an Irish league demonstration at Loughrea yesterday, counseled the evicted tenants to take back their farms by storm and that they should fight and suffer if necessary. He said the league funds would be given to assist those who showed a soldier's spirit.

Florence Nightingale in Good Health

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The report cabled to the United States that Florence Nightingale was near death was unfounded. Florence Nightingale is well.

FORMER ENEMIES IN COLON ARE RAPIDLY FORGETTING THE PAST

No Disturbances Have Occurred Since the City Was Captured.

LIBERALS BLAME PORRAS

COLON, Dec. 1.—Yesterday and today passed uneventfully at Colon and Panama. Both Liberals and Conservatives are gradually resuming their customary intercourse and fraternizing the one with the other. There is no undue boasting on the part of the victors nor ill concealed hatred on the part of those who sympathize with the vanquished. Consequently there have been no disturbances nor unseemly behavior.

Recent events, however, are the only topic of conversation. Many Liberals allege that all blame for the final turn of affairs is primarily due to Belisario Porras, who is also said to be responsible for the blow sustained by the Liberal cause last year. Porras, it is generally known, caused a split a few months ago in the Liberal headquarters at Chorrera over a question of precedence and seniority of rank between himself and Gen. Domingo Diaz. Porras refused to recognize the authority of Gen. Diaz as civil and military chief of the Liberal army. He subsequently effected the withdrawal of many men with their arms to certain mountain fastnesses in another direction, where they are still supposed to be.

The vicinity of Chorrera (where the Liberals had their headquarters before the attack on Colon) offers many facilities for insurgent campaigns, as cattle and other food requisites are there plentiful. A few dead bodies still remain along the railroad line. These bodies are being burned.

The British cruiser Tribune sailed from Colon this afternoon for Bocas del Toro (70 miles west of Colon), where it is surmised the Liberal forces are rising, being ignorant of the recapture of Colon. The Colombian gunboat General Pinzon will also shortly sail for Bocas del Toro. Owing to the loss last week of the United Fruit Company's steamer Sunrise communication between Colon and Bocas del Toro is discontinued.

CAPE COLONY'S BURDEN.

South African Premier Says an Army of 18,000 Men Is Being Supported.

CAPE TOWN, Dec. 1.—Sir Gordon Sprigg, prime minister of Cape Colony, during the course of a speech at a banquet, said Cape Colony was maintaining in the Cape an army numbering 18,000 men, the bulk of whom were mounted, and that these numbers were increasing weekly.

It was a great strain on the treasury, said the prime minister, but the colony was prepared to bear it as long as necessary. The rebels were being gradually worn down and the prospect not discouraging.

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WAITING FOR THE KING.

Citizens of Cannes Joyous Over a Report That King Edward Will Not Discontinue His Visits.

CANNES, Dec. 1—(Special Cable.)—Today's Tribune de Cannes states with assurance that King Edward is coming to Cannes at the end of January after opening parliament.

According to this paper, Lord Glenesk, who has a villa at Cannes, communicated the good news to one of his friends residing at Cannes. King Edward has always shown much partiality for Cannes, and his presence there when he was prince of Wales, using the incognito of Lord Renfrew, invariably increased the brilliancy of the season.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

WARREN, O.—G. O. Griswold, Warren's oldest citizen and the pioneer linseed oil operator of Ohio, celebrated his 91st birthday yesterday. Mr. Griswold is yet hale and hearty.

TORONTO, O.—The Rev. Edward T. McIlwaine, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this place, yesterday surprised his congregation by tendering his resignation. He has been here two years.

BELLEFONTE, PA.—The Ben Gentzel hunting party, after 10 days in the Alleghanies, brought home six fine deer, weighing from 90 to 200 pounds each.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Joseph Scacia, an Italian of Donora, was brought to this place charged with the murder of Edward Jones, whose dead body was found in front of Scacia's residence on Friday. The coroner's jury found Scacia responsible for the killing.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 256.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Taggart street, Second ward, from Charles street to Washington avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the regrading and repaving of Taggart street, Second ward, from Charles street to Washington avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed the cost and expense therof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
12021

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 240.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the compounding of the two (2) one (1) million gallon pumping engines at Howard street pumping station and erecting them at Troy Hill pumping station for the bureau of water, instructing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the compounding of the two (2) one (1) million gallon pumping engines to be erected at Troy Hill pumping station for the bureau of water, in accordance with the specifications prepared by and on file in the office of the director of the department of public works, is hereby authorized.

The city recorder and the said director are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense of the above improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 254.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of North avenue, Third ward, from Federal street to Middle street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the regrading and repaving of North avenue, Third ward, from Federal street to Middle street, in accordance with the specifications prepared by and on file in the office of the director of the department of public works, is hereby authorized and ordered.

Bids to be received and contract to be executed therefor in accordance with the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Street Improvement Bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 252.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Filbert street, Seventh ward, from Angle street to Homer street, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the regrading and repaving of Taggart street, Second ward, from Charles street to Washington avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Section 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
12021

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 253.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Buena Vista street, Second ward, from Garrison street to a point sixty (60) feet, more or less, south of Perrysville avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Buena Vista street, Second ward, from Garrison street to a point sixty (60) feet, more or less, south of Perrysville avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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BANK STATEMENTS. BANK STATEMENTS.

CITY TRUST CO.,

Sixth Avenue and Smithfield Street.

CONDITION OF BUSINESS NOV. 25.

Cash on hand		$ 32,756 04
Checks and other cash items		185 22
Due from banks and bankers		292,454 43
Commercial and other paper owned		496,827 26
Call loans upon collateral		1,518,965 00
Time loans upon collateral		48,890 00
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		14,000 00
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$351,317 50	
Mortgages	155,547 80	
		506,865 30
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		119,376 55
Overdrafts		36 33
		$3,030,266 13

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
*Surplus fund	750,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	34,050 80
Deposits, subject to check and deposits, special	1,746,215 33
	$3,030,266 13

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment of all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

I solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOHN W. TAYLOR, Treasurer.

Four per cent interest paid on all savings accounts; 2 per cent on check accounts. You may bank by mail.

J. D. CALLERY, President.
J. C. REILLY, Vice President.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., Nos. 245 and 247 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 25, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 454 11
Checks and other cash items		109 46
Due from banks and bankers		918,800 25
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$335,346 13	
Mortgages	96,823 10	
		432,169 23
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		340,544 78
Miscellaneous assets		686 00
		$ 1,693,653 93

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	600,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	84,061 28
Miscellaneous liabilities	8,092 65
	$ 1,693,653 93
Amount of trust funds invested	$ 9,554,410 75
Amount of trust funds uninvested	524,473 90
	$10,078,884 65

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, Wm. T. Howe, treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. T. HOWE, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1901.

D. B. OAKS, Notary Public.

(Signed) Notarial Seal.

Correct—Attest:

THOS. WIGHTMAN,
GEO. E. PAINTER,
W. L. McCLINTOCK,
Directors.

12021

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WEST END SAVINGS BANK OF PITTSBURGH, corner Main and Wabash streets, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business Nov. 25, 1901.

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 12,112 86
Checks and other cash items		1,858 35
Due from banks and bankers		71,756 90
Loans and discounts		417,098 38
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$265,893 12	
Mortgages	97,200	
		363,093 12
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		28,001 83
Overdrafts		3 24
Total		$844,813 27

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 62 600 00
Surplus fund	65,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,487 75
Deposits subject to check $158,449 26	
Deposits, special 617,941 78	
Time certificates of deposits 27,000 00	
	703,441 04
Cashier's checks outstanding	326 83
Dividends unpaid	388 00
Miscellaneous liabilities	269 62
Total	$844,813 27

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss: I, H. S. Hershberger, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement to be true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. S. HERSHBERGER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1901.

W. H. HESSELBARTH, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 18, 1903.

Correct—Attest:

R. S. HEMHUP,
JOSEPH LEMER,
J. F. MINICK,
Directors.

11220

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE TRADERS AND MECHANICS BANK OF PITTSBURGH, No. 215 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 25, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 12,114 02
Checks and other cash items		618 38
Due from banks and bankers		44,916 43
Commercial and other paper owned		606,504 09
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$38,880 02	
Mortgages	4,653 33	
		41,513 35
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		88,356 13
Overdrafts		45 52
Total		$790,108 72

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	20,747 50
Deposits subject to check $221,849 23	
Deposits, special 351,637 64	
Time certificates of deposit $1,800 00	
Certified checks 1,004 35	
	646,291 22
Cashier's checks outstanding	3,000 00
Dividends unpaid	70 00
Total	$790,108 72

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, C. C. Davis, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. C. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1901.

C. F. RANKIN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

G. W. RANKIN,
WM. M. FUREY,
JOHN BURFORD,
Directors.

11201

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 257.)

AN ORDINANCE—Granting the Thomas Carlin's Sons Company the right to construct and maintain a railroad switch across River avenue, Eighth ward, from the Pittsburgh & Western railroad into its property on said River avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Thomas Carlin's Sons Company be and is hereby granted permission to construct and maintain a railroad switch across River avenue, Eighth ward, from a point on the Pittsburgh & Western railroad into its property on said River avenue, according to accompanying plan.

Provided, Said switch is constructed in accordance with existing ordinances, and under the direction of the director of the department of public works, and the committee of public works.

Provided, further, That the Thomas Carlin's Sons Company shall keep said switch and River avenue at the place of crossing in good repair as long as said switch shall be maintained, and in case the same shall at any time be removed shall thoroughly repair the injury done by such removal.

Sec. 2 That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.
J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
12021

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Hazelwood Savings and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., No. 100 Hazelwood avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 25, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 4,807 83
Checks and other cash items		420 13
Due from banks and bankers		34,439 04
Commercial and other paper owned		24,885 47
Call loans upon collateral		64,962 50
Time loans upon collateral		1,500 00
Loans and bonds and mortgages		48,325 00
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Bonds, etc.	$41,040 29	
		41,040 29
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		15,322 50
Overdrafts		8 23
		$236,509 76

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2,279 17
Deposits, subject to check $106,160 91	
Deposits, special 23,041 58	
	129,210 59
Due to the Commonwealth	10,000 00
Miscellaneous liabilities, treasurer's checks	40 00
	$236,509 76

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, L. Z. Birmingham, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) L. Z. BIRMINGHAM, Treasurer.

Subscribed and affirmed before me this 29th day of November, 1901.

(Signed) JOHN JENKINS, Notary Public.

(Seal.)

My commission expires January 9, 1902.

Correct—Attest:

W. H. BARKER,
J. C. PARSONS,
STEPHEN W. TONER,
Directors.

11901b

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Bank of Secured Savings of Allegheny, No. 1629 Beaver avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 25, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 13,755 76
Checks and other cash items		5,140 35
Due from banks and bankers		54,166 45
Loans and discounts		349,962 28
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$122,626 39	
Mortgages	456,587 29	
		579,213 68
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		39,632 45
Overdrafts		13
Total		$1,087,365 58

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	25,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,141 71
Deposits, subject to check $268,139 07	
Deposits, special 643,515 58	
Time certificates of deposits 2,200 00	
	913,854 65
Cashier's checks outstanding	329 22
Dividends unpaid	00 00
Total	$1,087,365 58

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, C. C. Gerwig, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. C. GERWIG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1901.

A. C. HENRY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WILLIAM M'MILLEN,
JAME M'PERRON,
R. H. GILLIFORD,
Directors.

11220

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GERMANIA SAVINGS BANK OF PITTSBURGH, No. 423 Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 25, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 22,744 38
Checks and other cash items		618 38
Due from banks and bankers		44,916 43
Commercial and other paper owned		606,504 09
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$38,880 02	
Mortgages	4,653 33	
		41,513 35
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		88,356 13
Overdrafts		45 52
Total		$790,108 72

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	20,747 50
Deposits subject to check $221,849 23	
Deposits, special 351,637 64	
Time certificates of deposit $1,800 00	
Certified checks 1,004 35	
	646,291 22
Cashier's checks outstanding	3,000 00
Dividends unpaid	70 00
Total	$790,108 72

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, C. C. Davis, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. C. DAVIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1901.

C. F. RANKIN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

G. W. RANKIN,
WM. M. FUREY,
JOHN BURFORD,
Directors.

11201

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 255.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Lang alley, Second ward, from Jefferson street to the northern end of said alley, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the regrading and repaving of Lang alley, Second ward, from Jefferson street to the northern end of said alley, is hereby authorized and ordered and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "street improvement bonds."

Section 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICK

Fultz to Captain Stars Next Year

MAY REAPPOINT FULTZ CAPTAIN

Left Half Back of Homestead Stars Will Probably Lead Next Year's Team.

IS POPULAR WITH THE PLAYERS

An All-Indian Team and a D. C. & A. C. Eleven May Also Be on the Local Gridiron Next Season. Other Football News.

Left Halfback David Fultz, of the Homestead football team, will in all probability be appointed captain of the eleven for next year. Although the appointment has not been publicly confirmed by the board of directors of the team, the management is very much pleased with the work of the plucky little captain during the past season, and it is stated that Fultz has been asked to return to Pittsburgh next fall as captain of the new team.

The news of the rumored appointment of Fultz will be pleasing indeed to every member of the team. He is one of the most popular gridiron masters that ever played on a Pittsburgh eleven, and his work as a field general during the season just closed has stamped him as one of the best leaders in the country.

Capt. Fultz has played football in Pittsburgh for the past three years. His first season here was with the Duquesne Country and Athletic club team, on which he made a remarkable record as a player. He was a member of the famous Homestead team last year, and this season he captained and managed the eleven.

"There will be another Homestead football team in Pittsburgh next year," was the statement given out by a member of the management last week. This year's team is financially to the bad on the season, and a conservative estimate places the team's indebtedness at $5,000. An endeavor will be made to make up this deficit next season.

There will also be an all-star team in the field at Philadelphia next season. While the present management will not conduct it, the team has already been secured. It was stated when the team played in Pittsburgh last Saturday that several of its members had been signed for next season.

The rivalry between the Quaker City and Pittsburgh teams next season promises to be even greater than it was during the past season. Homestead's schedule will not be complete without two contests with the Quakers, one of which will be played in Philadelphia and the other here.

Philadelphia is looked upon as one of the best football towns in the country. This is evident from the attendance at the games played at Franklin field each year by the University of Pennsylvania eleven. Although Penn had a losing team this year, the attendance at games in Philadelphia was greater than last year.

Nearly every member of this year's Homestead team will be re-signed for next season. The men will not all return to Pittsburgh next fall, but an effort will be made by the management to secure several new stars. The work of Herbert Davidson, captain of this year's University of Pennsylvania team, at Exposition park last Saturday, has the local team management to studying, and it is reported he will be engaged for next season. The Philadelphia team is also looking after Davidson and hope to be able to keep him on their eleven next year.

Pittsburgh may see several professional football teams on the gridiron next season. For the past year there has been talk among football enthusiasts of establishing an all-Indian eleven in the city. There are more than enough graduates of the Carlisle institution to establish a good team here, and it is believed it would prove a fine drawing card. President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh baseball club is reported to be at the head of the movement to start an all-Indian team in Pittsburgh.

There is a bare possibility that the defunct Duquesne Country and Athletic club may reorganize and put a football team on the field. The success of the great college games during the season has awakened spirit among the old wearers of the red and black, and a movement may be made to get back into athletic affairs in the city.

With the Homestead team to the front stronger than ever next season, an all-Indian team on the local gridiron, and the wearers of the red and black with a good team, Pittsburgh would undobtedly see one of the greatest football seasons in her history next year. The rivalry between these local organizations would be just as intense as between the former Allegheny Athletic association and Pittsburgh Athletic club a few years ago.

SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Baseball Convention at Chicago Today—St. Louis Capital to Control New Club.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The majority of the leaders of the American Baseball league arrived here tonight to attend the annual meeting of the league tomorrow, when plans for the coming season will be perfected.

With the clubs at Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Boston, Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore strongly fortified, it leaves the allotment of stock in the new club at St. Louis the only vital question to be settled.

Ex-Mayor Kilfoyle of Milwaukee have been given a chance to assume control of the St. Louis club, but from the present outlook, St. Louis capital will control the team, although President Johnson refused today to commit himself on the actual identity of its backers. The rest of the meeting will be taken up, it is claimed, with the formal league work during the past season.

KINGSTON TEAM BOOKED.

Canadian Royal Military Players Will Be at Duquesne Garden This Month.

Visiting hockey and basketball teams will receive praise from all parts of the United States and Canada if they can defeat the speedy teams that this year will represent Pittsburgh. With the best baseball and football teams in the country, Pittsburgh the coming season promises to further increase its fame in the athletic world by having champions in hockey and basketball.

Pittsburgh's prestige in this line was never better shown than by the numerous letters Manager James W. Conant of Duquesne Garden is receiving from crack hockey and basketball teams that want to play the local experts. They think that no team with championship aspirations could expect to hold the title until it would defeat the Smoky City players.

In hockey the names of the players on the local teams are sufficient to prove that they have few equals, while the game last Friday between the Keystones and the Bankers showed that former years will be left in the rear in regard to the speed in the great game on ice. Tomorrow night's contest at the Garden between the champion Y. M. C. A. and the Keystones will further elucidate this point, as the team work will be much better than last Friday, the men having had a chance to practice with the view to object of eliminating individualism for team work.

The Royal Military academy hockey team of Kingston, Ont., will be seen here December 19, 20 and 21. The Columbia college team also wanted these dates, but will have to wait until later in the season. Carr Harris, formerly of Queens college, is manager and a player on the Royal Military academy team.

Today's Oakland Entries.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—Oakland entries for Monday:

First race, 11-16 mile, purse, maiden 2-year-olds—Chesterton, Senator Bruce, 108; Magpie, 113; Lilly Dale, Anna Dan, Billy Vice, Jr., 110; The Maniac, 110; Sir Clause, 115.

Second race, 13-16 mile, selling—Ben Ledi, Hornpipes, 114; Calma, Grayette, 109; Diderot, 104; Sea Lion, 117.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Flattered, St. Bevers, 85; Sonora, 115; Dr. Scharff, Schwarzwald, 117; Jerry Edwards, 115; Mr. Thunderlane, 114.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Autolight, 117; Chin, 92; Gaslight, 94; Brutal, 90.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—The Singer, Senator Matta, Rose of Ilio, 112; Hohenlohe, 115; Romany, Lost Girl, 107.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Wyoming, Go Out, Tioba, 110; Rockfields, Redwald, 113; Cicumber, 112; Canejo, 105; Frehia, 107; Burdock, 99; Trimmer, Rinaldo, 104; El Rey, 92.

GLASS MAY BE YALE'S CAPTAIN

WEARERS OF BLUE LIKELY TO SELECT BIG GUARD FOR LEADER

He Is a Good Student, Physical Giant, Very Popular Among Coaches and Players, and Stands Well With the Faculty—Goss, Hamilton and Bloomer Are Also Mentioned for the Position.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.)

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Dec. 1.—The Yale coaches now realize that in the future they will have a stiffer proposition to meet from Cambridge in the way of scientific football than in the past.

The names of Goss, the tackle, and Hamlin, the guard, are prominently mentioned for the captaincy. Goss is spoken of with special favor, as he seems to have made a very good impression among the coaches this fall. But there is one great reason why Goss may not be made captain, and it is this: Goss plays at tackle.

Next fall Bloomer will be eligible for the team again and the combination of Bloomer and Hogan for the tackles would seem likely to make fullback Goss very captain he would stand good chances of being crowded out of the rush line.

This opens up a chance for Bloomer to win the honor. The fact that Bloomer has had so much difficulty with th the faculty, however, makes him a doubtful candidate.

The combination of all these circumstances has placed a new man in the field. This is Glass, the big guard, who was ruled ineligible just before the Princeton game. Glass by his playing and his manly character has won a high place here this fall. No man in the present football squad is more respected or better liked. He is respected by the coaches and loved by the players. He is one of those physical giants, who is what is called a natural leader of men.

The suggestion to make his captain has met with great favor and it will not be a surprise if he is made fullback. He is a freshman in the scientific school and in this department the course is only three years. He will, therefore, be a junior next fall.

LIST OF FIXED EVENTS FOR THE JUNE MEETING.

Announcement of Entries for Races to Be Held by Coney Island Jockey Club.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The Coney Island Jockey club issued its list of fixed events, which close January 2, 1902. Among the larger ones are:

For June meeting, 1902:

The Suburban of $16,000; 1¼ miles.

The Advance; estimated value $6,000; 1¼ miles.

The Swift; estimated value $5,000; 7 furlongs.

The Great Final; cash value $20,000; 6 furlongs.

The Double event; cash value $10,000; first event $5,000, 5½ furlongs; second event, $5,000, 6 furlongs.

Sleepiness.

The Beacon; estimated value $5,000; about 2½ miles.

For the autumn meeting, 1902:

The Flatbush; cash value $5,000; 7 furlongs.

The Great Eastern; cash value $7,500; 6 furlongs.

For the autumn meeting, 1904:

The Futurity; estimated value $75,000; 6 furlongs.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL GAMES.

Homestead Won from Philadelphia at Exposition Park—Army Beats Navy.

The last football game of the local season at Exposition park Saturday afternoon between the Philadelphia all-star and Homestead all-star elevens, was won by the local team by the narrow margin one one point, the final score ending Homestead 6, Philadelphia 5.

The game was replete with interest from start to finish and was one of the most exciting contests ever witnessed on a local gridiron on account of the many brilliant plays. After seven minutes' play the Quakers took the ball over the line for their first and only touchdown of the game, but failed to kick goal.

Homestead, after being pushed all over the field in the first half, took a sudden brace at the opening of the second and scored a touchdown, from which Mosse kicked a goal, making the deciding and winning point of the game.

The big contest in Philadelphia between the Army and Navy teams resulted in a victory for the former eleven by a score of 11 to 5. Urged on by President Roosevelt, cabinet officers and army and navy leaders, the teams battled for two 35-minute halves, in which the Army eleven scored a touchdown and goal and goal from the field, while the Navy team scored a touchdown, but were unable to kick a goal.

BASKETBALL AT WASH.-JEFF.

Strong Team Will Likely Represent 'Varsity This Season.

WASHINGTON, PA., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The Washington and Jefferson basketball season will open in a few days. The players have been practicing in the college gymnasium for several weeks, and the different classes will be represented by teams.

W. and J. has not been represented by a 'varsity basketball team for several years. All classes but the senior will have a nucleus of players from last year's team around which to form good teams. Ferguson of last year's Pittsburgh High school team will be on the freshman team, and Rankin, a Pittsburgh boy, is also a promising candidate.

A good schedule will be arranged, and the college men are hopeful that since the Athletic association is out of debt, as a result of a successful football season, the college will be represented by a strong 'varsity basketball team.

JUNIOR LEAGUE BASKETBALL.

Opening Game of Season Between Manchester and Carnegie Teams.

The opening game of the Junior Basketball league will be played tonight at Manchester Turner hall, corner of South and Market streets, by the Carnegie Steel Jrs. and the Manchester Jrs.

Both teams have been practicing hard for the event and an exciting struggle will no doubt result. A large and enthusiastic attendance is expected. The line-up will be as follows:

Carnegie Steel Jrs.	Manchester Jrs.
Beltshoover	R. F. Skillinger
Gaulback	L. F. Koch
Hayes	C. Walliser or Metzker
Orr	R. G. Graham
Mawhinney or DeMuth	L. G. Burry

Referee—Little.

JEAN BERAUD TO BE SOLD.

One of W. C. Whitney's Racing Winners Will Be Placed on the Block.

LEXINGTON, KY., Dec. 1.—At the sale of thoroughbreds, commencing here tomorrow, W. C. Whitney will offer the stallion Jean Beraud, by His Highness, who as a 2-year-old, won $68,805. The horse has been recently returned from England.

Whitney also enters ten brood mares. Among them are Beth Broeck, by Ten Broeck, a half sister to Hainau, dam and Pittaway, full sister to the dam of Jean Beraud. Kingstock, by Spendthrift, brother to Kingston, is offered by C. J. Kelly. Three hundred and fifty horses are to be sold.

Steubenville Team's Good Record.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The record of the local football team, which was captained and coached by Bobby Burns this season, was as follows:

Steubenville 39, Astnaville 0; Steubenville 21, Lyceum 0; Steubenville 27, Crescents 5; Sideubenville 11, Lalus 0; total 98; opponents, 5.

Harvard's Football Expenses.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Dec. 1.—The report of the manager of athletics at Harvard university for the past year shows that the receipts from all branches of athletics amounted to $117,317, and the expenses $78,288. The receipts from football were $55,810 and expenses $19,698.

Basketball Notes.

The Crescent A. C. would like to hear from the following teams: Kingsleyhouse, Lincoln, and any 14 or 15-year-old teams wanting games. Address George Shields, care Borg & Buhl, Allegheny.

The Panther A. C. would like to hear from any 15-year-old teams for games. Address E. Hasling, 808 Corliss street, Allegheny.

OPENING GAME OF BASKETBALL

First Contest of the Season to Be Played at Duquesne Garden Tonight.

BOTH TEAMS ARE WELL TRAINED

Saturday's Hard Practice Crippled Some of the Best Men of D. C. & A. C. and Bellefield Fives, but They Expect to Start in Game.

The big basket ball teams are ready for the opening fray at the Duquesne Garden amphitheater tonight. Both Duquesne and Bellefield were put through hard work Saturday night when the last practice previous to tonight's hard struggle was held. The former played at Charleroi, where the Monongahela valley boys, though defeated, gave the red and black a hard tussle. The Bellefield team had its last practice at the amphitheater and its opponents were the husky Boquet club of Oakland.

The orange and black coach put his men through two hours' severe practice in dribbling, passing, shooting and perfecting team play, and with good results.

Both teams will be handicapped somewhat through injury to star players. Luty of Bellefield is nursing a lame ankle and John Seibel is a victim of the same trouble. These players will start into the contest, but may not be able to finish. The game should be a good one, though the work will doubtless be slow compared with the article of ball that will be put up later in the season.

The odds slightly favor Duquesne among the wiseacres, and the Duquesne boys themselves are unable to figure out how they can lose. If confidence could win a game then a red and black victory would be assured, but there is just one stumbling rock on the way of success in that particular respect, and that is the Bellefield boys are also filled up with a bid portion of the same stimulant—confidence.

The orange and black feel that they are going up against a champion team, and that in winning they have everything to gain, and for that reason will stretch every effort to take a red and black scalp.

Stories of Duquesne's confidence have reached the ears of the Bellefield players. Even if Duquesne does land a victory the Bellefield boys feel sure there will some person untimely dyed with red from those crimson jerseys of the Duquesnes dripping onto the caged flood before they go down to defeat.

The Bellefield boys held a little powwow at their headquarters and elected some big cuffels to lead the braves. Charles Luty was chosen captain and Harry Gross was also the unanimous choice of the band to fill the position of coach. These two players have won honors conferred upon them through meritorious work. Both have a perfect knowledge of the game. Gross first played with the Press league team and in 1898-99 coached Homestead. He was also with the Steelton champs in 99-00, and last year lined up with the C. & C.

Luty's start in basket ball was with Manchester in 1898, where he played center and filled the position with great credit. In '99 he won distinction at center for the Homestead champions. The line-up for the big game tonight follows:

D. C. & A. C.	Bellefield
Moore-Fitch	R. T. Schaus-Lewis
Rosser-Kolock	L. T. Yeager
Sauer-Nickel	C. Center Luty-Anderson
J. Seibel	R. G. Gross-Rebbeck
Orth-Mathews	L. G. McLean-Hay

New Orleans Entries Today.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.—Entries for Monday:

First race, 5½ furlongs, 2-year-olds—Patrick Hat Mitchell, Katherine C., Joe Lou Woods, Postillion, Cast Iron, Dolce, Far Niente, 104; The Boston, Ada S., 99.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Myth, Eda Riley, 104; Jena, Frank Ireland, Whisper Low, Chancery, 105; Henry of Franstamer, 106; Frank McConnell, Maple, 107; Precuriuzor, 108; Donators 103; Swordsman, 110.

Third race, mile—John Bull, Donna Seay, 95; Harry Pullian, Jim Taylor, 98; Gray Dalby, 100; Farmer Bennett, Monos, Little Elkin, 103.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Tartar, 90; Little Jack Horner, 94; Tom Collins, 103; Choice, 104; The Rush, 105; Orsinio, 107; Prescutt, coupled as L'Hommedieu entry; Tom Kingsley, 105; Henry Bert, 110; Sevoy, 120.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Oleisme, 98; Reefer, Night, 1., Ortrud, Flop, Miss Conrad, 103; Utern, 105; Dousterswivel, 106; Master Mariner, Sir Florian, 107; John Grigsby, Mr. Pulitizy, 108.

Sixth race, selling—W. H. Dixon, 92; Woodstick, 93; Free Pass, Maj. Mansir, 96; Menace, 98; El Ghor, Papa Harry, Eugenia S., Bequeath, 101; Tartar, 104; Andes, 105; Jessie Jarboe, 107.

BECOMING CHRISTIANS.

Failure of Boxer Movement Persuades Many Chinese to Embrace the True Faith.

PORT TOWNSEND, WASH., Dec. 1.—According to oriental papers brought by the steamship Glenogle, a high official of the Chinese government has memorialized the throne to publish an illustrated book showing the sufferings the court sustained during its memorable flight from Peking, and that the book be circulated throughout China, so that the people of the empire may see what they were responsible for in countenancing the Boxer uprising, and that it will serve as a warning to them not to place the court in such a humiliating position again. As a reactionary effect of the Boxer movement, large numbers of Chinese at Kiao Chow are becoming Christians.

The bow and arrow have ceased to be an official army weapon in China. According to the Hongkong Press an imperial edict was issued October 26 abolishing the bow and substituting the gun. The edict was read for the first time at an examination of a large number of candidates for positions in the military department at Canton.

Chinese officials have severely punished all offenses against foreigners. This has had a salutory effect upon the demeanor of the people. The higher Chinese officials now manifest an increase desire to cultivate personal relations with the diplomatic corps. The settlement of claims between the local officials and the missionaries not included in the general indemnity, has been arranged. Payments on these claims amount to 5,000,000 taels.

In an edict the dowager empress has authorized the instruction of foreign sciences in Chinese schools. The policy of Sir Robert Hart, collector of imperial maritime customs, in the matter of the disputed points of the tariff is to deal generously with the importers.

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BRANCH PLANT WILL BE BUILT

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Product of Texas Oil and Pipe Line Company's Big Gusher Will Be Carried by Steamer to Port Norfolk, Va., Where the New Plant Is to Be Erected—Pittsburghers Are Interested.

The Jupiter Steel and Coal Company, formed by Pittsburghers, with a capital of $1,000,000, has decided to erect a large branch works at Port Norfolk, Va. The object of placing the works there is to utilize Texas oil for fuel. The freight on oil from Port Arthur around the coast, added to the cost, will be less than the cost of stoking coal and drawing the ashes.

The company, of which J. M. Anderson, ex-treasurer of Allegheny county, and ex-director of the Pittsburgh department of charities, is president, has purchased 15 acres at Port Norfolk for its branch works. The Pittsburgh district works of the company are now being equipped at Carnegie and will be put in operation about the middle of next month.

The Port Norfolk works will represent an investment of $250,000. The product, under the patents of the United States Steel Company, which has a $3,000,000 plant at Everett, Mass., will be the same as that at the Pittsburgh works, mining and mill tools and appliances and steel forgings. At the Port Norfolk works a 25,000-barrel oil tank will be erected for the storing of the fuel. The new plant will have the advantage of water and important rail shipping outlets. It will be connected with the Pennsylvania system through the Southern road and directly with the Norfolk & Western railroad. An additional railway connection is also being provided by tunneling from Cape Charles to Norfolk.

W. J. Wilson, the consulting engineer of Pittsburgh, who is largely interested in the Jupiter Company, said yesterday that coupled with the shipping facilities, the key to the decision to locate at Port Norfolk, is the item of cheap fuel. Right now at the freight on the oil will only be 25 cents for a quantity equal in fuel power to a ton of coal, and if the coal were used, the cost for stoking and taking out the ashes alone would be 60 cents a ton.

The oil to be used in the new plant will be taken chiefly from the new gusher well in the Beaumont field, owned by the Texas Oil & Pipe Line Company, in which a Pittsburgh syndicate is interested. This company has chartered the steamer Major Barrett to carry the first Texas oil to New York for fuel purposes, and the steamer will make regular trips in this traffic. The oil will be piped to Port Arthur and run directly into the steamer tanks, and carried to New York, where it will be put in tanks.

In addition to Mr. Anderson the other officers of the Jupiter Steel & Coal Company of Pittsburgh are H. B. Wahl of Boston, who is president of the United States Steel Company, and James Hazlewood, the Pittsburgh real estate dealer and stock broker, who is treasurer.

ALLEGHENY CITY SLATE.

Murphy Followers Select Delegates to the State Convention.

At a meeting of the Murphy administration leaders of Allegheny, held Saturday night, a slate of delegates to the state convention was prepared which included only those known to be in harmony with the administration. It is understood that the delegation will go into the convention and nominate a governor which will be the choice of Gov. Stone.

The slate is as follows: First legislative district, John R. Murphy, Third ward, H. L. Stauffer, Fourth ward, Henry Hunneshagen, Seventh ward.

Second legislative district, Elliott Rodgers, Eleventh ward, Samuel E. Grier, Second ward and Dr. James Dixon of the Fifth ward.

Famous Cycler Dead.

SALT LAKE, UTAH, Dec. 1.—William B. Vaughn, a well-known professional bicycle rider, died today of typhoid fever. Vaughn's home was in Southern California. During the past year he established world's records in the 10 and 15-mile competition races on the local track.

GAZETTE GROWS STILL BETTER

Yesterday's Edition Was Easily Superior to Its Predecessors.

NEWEST SUNDAY PAPER SEEMED BEST

The Gazette Issued a Newspaper Perfect in Every News Department, and Replete With Attractive Pictures.

The Sunday Gazette of yesterday was even better than the preceding issues. There were 44 pages of the choicest reading matter, comprising articles to instruct, inform and amuse. The illustrations were artistic and the general appearance of the paper was attractive. From the first to the forty-fourth page it was a twentieth century paper.

As a newspaper it could not be beaten, for all the news was there, yet not needlessly expanded. It was ready for the reader to readily assimilate. Local news gleaned from every quarter of this great city by alert reporters, was given with sufficient fullness to inform the public faithfully of what is going on among all classes in the city and its suburbs. Industrial, real estate, sporting, religious and every other department of local news was admirably covered.

Domestic news was handled as only a paper with The Gazette's ample telegraphic service can handle it. National politics and capital gossip received special attention, written by an expert on these matters, located at Washington.

The cable news was unsurpassed. Supplemental to its own cable service, The Gazette had special cable features received through the unsurpassed New York Herald service.

The best accounts of Saturday's great gridiron contests were to be found in The Sunday Gazette. These accounts were written by men who knew how to describe the game without giving more attention to the mud on the field than to the players and the plays.

The magazine part of the paper was better than ever, which is saying a good deal. Besides the regular departments which The Sunday Gazette began with its first issue, there were many new and special features.

There were two beautifully illustrated pages descriptive of the huntsman's sport. George Grantham Bain, the well-known writer, had a letter which would interest every farmer who read it. There was a special letter from Washington, giving the latest gossip in the society of the capital, written by Miss Fannie Brigham. Theatrical news, presented in most attractive form, was a pleasing feature. Many beautiful pictures added to the interest of these pages. The "Play Spells" gave a forecast of the plays of the coming week, which will be a safe guide for all playgoers. In addition to the discussion of the plays, many paragraphs of interesting theatrical chat were presented.

For women readers the paper had more than ordinary attractions. On the strictly woman's page, in addition to other good things, was Kate Upson Clark's valuable contribution to the solution of "That Servant Girl Problem." A whole page was devoted to a very timely topic at this season, the selection and making of Christmas presents.

Fashions to suit all tastes were discussed in fullness of detail. Nina Goodwin wrote a special letter from Paris, describing what is the correct things in women's wear in the French capital. The New York Cousin had her page filled with delightful chat about dainty dress for dainty ladies, and "Priscilla" told about prevailing local fashions.

Local society events were described in attractive style and the social calendar for the coming week presented. A new feature was the introduction of social notes from nearby towns.

Well-known writers contributed articles of much interest. Col. A. K. McClure had another contribution on "Random Recollections of Half a Century." Mrs. Ernest Thompson-Seton contributed a short story to the children's page, which was an ideal page for the young folks. Other contributors to this page were Katharine Newbold Birdsall and Elizabeth Langsdorf.

The fourth article on "Practical Politics," by the Hon. W. H. ("Buck") Hinrichson appeared.

The "Books and Bookmen" page was filled with literary chat and criticisms of the latest books, a page that lovers of good literature cannot afford to miss.

The religious page, with its home sermon written by one of the leading ministers of Pittsburgh, and its other church news, was full of interest to church people.

The department of military news had the latest gossip in local military circles. The "Cap and Gown" department told of the latest happenings in the colleges and academies of this city.

Then there was the colored comic supplement, with the funny pictures and jokes of the cartoonists and fun makers. "Billy Bounce" had some more startling adventures in his quest for the north pole. "Gamin" escape from careless fowler county hunters was well illustrated.

The relief picture supplement was especially good. It was a portrait of a Sioux chief, which, when cut out and put together according to directions, makes a very life-like representation of a warrior in full paint.

ART TREASURES RECEIVED.

Boston Society Leader Brings Valuable Paintings From Old World Collections to This Country.

BOSTON, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Mrs. "Jack" L. Gardner has just received by the Cunard liner Saxony the first consignment of art works from the collection she had stored in England. The value of the pictures which arrived yesterday is placed at $71,000. One of the paintings is said to be the Chigi Botticelli, and another is the Lord Darnley Titian.

The Chigi Botticelli is destined to be one of the chief adornments of Mrs. "Jack's" palace on the Fens. The removal of this picture from Rome to London in 1890 caused a hubbub, when the Italian authorities tried in vain to find a law under which Prince Chigi, who sold the picture, could be punished. One court confiscated the $65,000 he received for the painting, then another reduced the fine to $400, and finally a third court remitted to him the whole sum.

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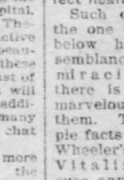

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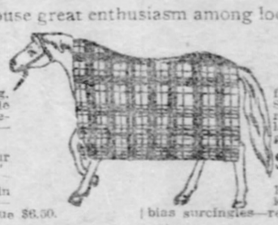

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The Fisher Oil Company tried an experiment in the old Fairview district, Marion county, W. Va., that may terminate in something of importance. The idea was not new, for in many old fields during the year operators have drilled deep, looking for a lower producing formation. This was the case in Butler county when the Midland division of the South Penn Oil Company drilled down an old well in the Troutman district and got a producer in the Speechley sand, sunk for a time, and, even at this time, the territory was brought into prominence and this, too, after it had been deserted for almost 25 years. Whether it was this that prompted the Fisher company to drill the old well in the Wilson Tomlinson farm, in the Fairview district, deeper, or not, the success of the experiment cannot be questioned. Last week at a depth of 2,400 feet below the Pittsburgh coal the drill penetrated the sand—presumably the fifth—and the well began to show oil and filled up 1,500 feet with fluid. This showing is regarded as sufficient to warrant the opinion that it will make a profitable producer. The well will be shot and tested and if it proves a satisfactory producer, as is now thought to be, it will lead to a new era of activity in the old field. The Fairview district is one of the oldest deep sand developments in West Virginia. It was opened up some 16 or 12 years ago, securing its production in the Big Injun sand. The Fisher Oil Company's venture will be watched with no little interest.

The Gordon sand territory in the "Little Germany" district and extending northeast to the Cameron development in the Wetzel county, was to the front with some new wells, but in neither end of the development were the discoveries such as to arouse any enthusiasm, and unless the torpedo man can put some life into them all will be ordinary pumpers. For strictly new work of an experimental nature the "Little Germany" and Cameron districts lead all others. There are not fewer than 50 wells drilling and rigs up and by the end of the present month the whole stretch of territory between the two developments will be tested. The South Penn Oil Company's first well on the Alley-Lewis farm is the best producer in the field and is still credited with making 90 barrels a day.

In the Yellow creek development, Center district, Calhoun county, the Lowther Oil Company drilled in its No. 8 on the Tagrill Taylor farm and secured a 75-barrel Gantz sand producer. The location is hardly of defined limits, so that it is of little importance to any except those directly interested. There are other test wells drilling and starting in various directions from the development that will show whether or not the producing territory extends beyond the present congested area.

The territory in the vicinity of Salem, Harrison county, furnish nothing better than the most ordinary producers. South of Salem Lynch & Co. drilled in a light producer on the Saddler farm and the South Penn Company had the same experience at its No. 5 on the A. J. Varner farm and No. 4 on the G. T. Richards farm.

The Gantz sand pool on Fink creek, Lewis county, presented nothing but light wells and a duster. The last-named is located on the D. F. Starcher farm, on the east side of the development. No oil was developed, but a strong gas pressure was tapped in the Gantz sand. Since the effort to extend the pool to the northeast has resulted in almost a total failure there is little hope left for an extension in any direction.

In the fifth sand development, north of Meads mills, the South Penn Company was greeted with a pleasant surprise when it drilled its No. 15 on the T. R. Reynolds farm into the stray and Gordon and got a 100-barrel producer. This has been regarded as fifth sand territory, but quite recently good wells have been developed in the two upper formations. The pool now has three distinct producing sands. The new wells to the south, on the Ramsburg farm, are coming in good producers and promise to make this the active end of the development.

South of Riffee development, in Doddridge county, the test well on the Lewis A. Bode farm came in a very light producer.

In Wetzel county, near the Marion county line, Carnahan & Lewis, operating jointly with the Carnegie Natural Gas Company, completed their No. 151 on the L. G. Robinson farm and got a 160-barrel producer in the Gordon sand. The number 151 does not indicate the number of wells on the farm, since the Carnegie company numbers its wells consecutively irrespective of location.

Greene county was not in the race for good producers during the week. Near Newtown the South Penn Company drilled its wildcat on the Stephens farm through the Gantz sand to no purpose. The Manufacturers Gas Company had the same kind of luck at its No. 2 on the J. W. Iams farm.

Neither Southeastern Ohio or the local fields attracted any attention. In the Graysville development in Monroe county, there is renewed activity and wildcatting in the Big Lime district is a feature.

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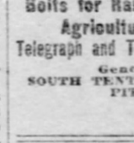

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Thursday, December 5, 1901, by Lyman M. Fullerton, Jr., Norman Ashton and A. G. Shaw, under an act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Wilkinsburg Water Company," the character and object of which is to supply water for the public in the borough of Wilkinsburg, county of Allegheny, and to persons, partnerships and associations residing therein as may desire the same, and for those purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of assembly and its supplements thereto. R. A. & James Bash, Solicitors. 1112jl118ul

MARSHALL & SPROUL, Attorneys-at-Law, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Margaret Hamilton of Pittsburgh will apply to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company on or about the 5th of January, 1902, for the issuance of a new certificate of stock in lieu of certificate No. 72, dated February 23, 1892, for 12 shares of preferred stock in the Allegheny Valley Railway Company, standing in the name of Mrs. Harriet Hamilton, which certificate of stock was lost by her in 1895 or 1896, and the new certificate is to take the place of the certificate thus lost. 1130a

E. B. PATTERSON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 410 Grant street. Notice—Application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 26th day of December, 1901, by Wm. M. Orr, Wm. D. Rowan, Boyd S. Leipart, Wm. A. Harbison and W. H. Woodcock, under the act of assembly entitled: "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called Pittsburgh Friction Draft Gear Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture and sale of railway specialties and other articles of commerce made from iron, steel or other metals at Pittsburgh, Pa., and for those purposes to have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Edmund B. Patterson, solicitor for applicants. 1202ul

M'CANCE BROS. CO., Room 4, McCance bldg. city. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 26th day of December, 1901, by W. T. McCance, C. McV. McCance, J. R. McCance, B. F. Bakewell and J. C. Thaw, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called McCance Brothers Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture of iron or steel, or both, or of any other metal or articles composed of such metal, or both, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. F. K. McCance, Solicitor 1118l

W. B. RODGERS, 432 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 9th day of December, 1901, by W. B. Hervey and W. J. Smith, under the act of assembly, entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of a an intended corporation to be called "City Realty Trust," the character and object of which is the purchase and sale of real estate or for the holding, leasing and selling real estate, and for these purposes to have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. W. B. Rodgers, Solicitor. 1125ul

WILLIAM A. WAY, Attorney-at-Law, Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of William Neely, Sr., deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. William Neely, D. Leet Neely, Executors, Sewickley, Pa. 1111us

JAS. C. GRAY, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Lewis Waltman, deceased, late of Indiana township, Allegheny county, have been granted the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Wm. A. Armstrong, Executor, Cheswick, Allegheny Co. 1028us

J. C. BOYER, Attorney-at-Law, 426 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Robert Love, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Jas. Wilson, Executor, Broughton P. O., Allegheny Co. 1028us

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BRAUN'S DANCING ACADEMY,
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Ten Lessons Three Dollars. 1107h

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NEIGHBORS will advise the use of SWEET CASTOR. 820h

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Silver Plating.
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COOKE PLATING WORKS,
110 Sandusky st., Allegheny. 99hb

Misfit carpets cheap.
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All sizes from $5 up.
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ELECTIONS.

Office of Monongahela Insurance Co.,
225 Fourth ave.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 18, 1901.
ELECTION—An election for 15 directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, 225 Fourth avenue, on Tuesday, December 3, 1901, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.
1119ugb JOHN H. CLANEY, Secretary.

FINANCIAL.

UNITED STATES MARBLE CO. STOCK—A dividend-payer at 50 cents a share. For sale by F. L. SUTERMEISTER, JR., Spokane, Wash. 1221

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Money
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Do you need
money? So you want
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to suit your convenience;
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satisfactorily.
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Telephone P. & A. 1170 Main. 1117h

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MONEY to loan on mortgages.
W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN, 317 Ohio st., Ally. 1010h

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—
HEART TO HEART TALKS.
My Dear Father Pitt:
There has been too much saving at the spigot and wasting at the bung hole; too much littleness and not enough public spirit shown; can you think of any better way of helping the city than by keeping up a good appearance, making your city attractive to strangers and satisfying to ourselves. No man should have a dingy-looking house when painting is done so reasonable as here.
P. J. BYRNE,
1017h 634 Fifth ave.

PERSONAL—If you are looking for a small house and small rent, with large house conveniences, see those new bricks on Clarissa st., near Herron park, $20 houses with $40 conveniences. 1126h

PERSONAL—Rheumatism sufferers don't ill your system with drugs! DR. BRANDT, Specialist, cures where others fail. Bring morning urine. Corner Penn ave. and fifth st., Sorosis Building. Office hours 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. 1112h

Have your work done right.
Carpets lifted and cleaned,
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PERSONAL—Stenographers, join speed class at the Reno Shorthand School, Sixth and Smithfield. Graham's Reporting Style thoroughly taught. Sessions daily, and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. 1029h

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as the purse can buy."
Keep your house well dressed, too; that's important.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

SORE, tired feet fitted in comfortably-fitting, honestly made shoes, in all kinds of leathers, at reasonable prices, by
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PERSONAL—Do you know that your old tableware, locks, hinges, brass beds can be repaired, replated or refinished and lacquered in a first-class manner
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
110 Sandusky st., Allegheny. 99hb

PERSONAL—Business cards printed properly. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones. 1016h

PERSONAL—Hunting season is here; you can find lots of game if you take Wexford stage, 15 miles out; leaves Allegheny Point Park, 8 a. m. daily. 1110puxjeo

PERSONAL—When you need printing, call up Bell 'phone 81 Fisk, or P. & A. 81 Lawrence, and get H. C. Knapp's prices on good work. 1016h

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SAVES night walks for papa. SWEET CASTOR. 820h

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AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION
Before the sun and weather cracks, warps or ruins woodwork, or starts the mortar to run from brick work, have them painted.
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BEFORE putting away your summer clothes, have them cleaned by our new process of French dry cleaning. Moths will not touch them.
SIMPSON CLEANING & DYEING CO.,
614 Penn ave. 916h

LOST—See those cute five room houses with all conveniences on Clarissa st., near East Herron. 1125h

ROOM FOR ONE MORE.
Usually there's not, but at this season, if you want good painting done send for BYRNE, the painter, 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

LOST—The chance to get good painting done if you fail to get P. J. BYRNE, the painter, to give you an estimate. 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

LOST—"You're next;" pants cleaned and pressed by the Simpson Cleaning & Dyeing Co., 614 Penn ave. 916h

SWEET CASTOR, pure castor oil; price 10 cts.; all druggists.

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NOTICES.

A SPECIAL meeting of McCandless lodge No. 390, F. & A. M., will be held at Freemasons' hall, Fifth ave., on Tuesday, December 3, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, P. M. William S. Bailey. By order of
JOHN GRINE, W. M.
Attest:
ISAAC LOCKHART, Secretary. 122g

Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., Nov. 16, 1901.
Whereas, It has been satisfactorily presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Federal National Bank of Pittsburgh," in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking.
Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The Federal National Bank of Pittsburgh," in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the revised statutes of the United States.
In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this sixteenth day of November, 1901.
[Seal.] WM. B. RIDGEL

Lot 20x100, Federal st.
2-story brick house.
Grant, Margt. A. 122.36
Lot 20x110, Palo Alta st.
2-story frame house.
2-story brick house.
Guckert, Eliza A., heirs 279.96
Lot 20x100, North ave.
2-story brick house.
Gibson, Mrs. A. H. 24.56
Lot 2½x85, Columbia place.
2-story frame house.
Hulta D. C., Estate 142.97
Lot 15x110, Reseca place.
2-story brick house.
Haslett, Miss Bertha 100.15
Lot 20x100, Federal st.
2-story brick house.
Hunter, Luella H. 20.82
Lot 15x90, Irwin ave.
2-story brick house.
Inman, Mary and Eliz. 26.52
Lot 11x62, 2½ alley.
2-story frame house.
Knoch, Annie M. 22.54
Lot 16x100, Kirkpatrick ave.
2-story frame house.
Kleber, Henry, heirs 103.10
Lot 20x120, Ohio st.
2 2-story brick houses.
Kitchen, Jno. 15.80
Lot 40x150, Sarah st.
Kalfell, Mrs. Eliza 10.82
Lot 20x50, Arch st. ext.
Frame house.
Leggate, A., Estate 11.85
Lot 25x150, Irwin ave.
Lot 30x83, Yale st.
Maginn, Arthur, heirs 104.54
Lot 20x100, Main st.
2-story frame house and store.
2-story frame house, rear.
Matthews, Andrew 18.95
Lot 23x79, Buena Vista st.
2-story frame house.
Marron, Jno. 187.38
Lot 150x187, McClintock ave.
2-story frame house.
Marthens, Eliza 17.30
Lot 22x110, Kirkpatrick.
Marshall, Chas. F. 264.62
Lot 40x124, Melrose ave.
Lot 80x124, Melrose ave.
10 2½-story frame houses.
Lot 40x85, Brighton place.
Muirhead, Wm. 64.70
Lot 25x60, Perrysville ave.
2½-story frame house.
McGill, Alice 24.42
Lot 45x12, Monterey st.
2-story frame house.
McCullough, Mrs. Isabella 280.42
Lot 30x150, North ave.
2½-story brick house.
McKeown, Elizabeth 28.85
3 lots 20x100, Lithgow ave.
2-story frame house.
McNeil, Hugh, heirs 187.15
Lot 30x110, Kirkpatrick ave.
Lot 66x110, Kirkpatrick ave.
2 2-story brick houses.
McNulty, Mary A. 243.92
Lot 20x110, Beech ave.
3-story brick house.
McNaugher, Samuel 518.37
Lot 65x100, Grant ave.
6 2-story brick houses.
McClelland, Sarah 71.38
Lot 20x110, Palo Alta st.
2 2-story frame houses.
McCauley, John B. 15.80
2 lots 20x120, Melrose ave.
McDonald, Margt. A. 84.86
Lot 26x100, Clifton ave.
2-story frame house.
Lot 28x122, Terrace.
2-story frame house.
McKnight, Eliza T. 810.02
Lot 37x100, Beech st.
2-story brick house.
McInerny, Patk. 29.18
Lot 18x98, Morrison ave.
2-story frame house.
McClinton, Saml. 80.89
Lot 18x98, Morrison.
2-story frame house.
McCann, Frank 110.48
Lot 15x172, Irwin.
2-story frame house.
Lot 20x105, Taggart.
Cottage and store.
8-story frame house.
McGary, Eliz. 121.64
Lot 20x110, Reseca place.
2-story brick house.
McKelvey, Eliz. 85.08
Lot 26x100, Yale st.
3-story frame house.
McAleer, W. A. 128.02
Irreg. lot, 22x111, Perrysville ave.
2-story frame mansard.
2-story frame house.
Irreg. lot, 20x127, Perrysville ave.
Orr, Elizabeth H. 25.93
Lot 20x62, Perrysville ave.
2-story frame house.
O'Donnell, Cath. 79.81
Lot 25x80, Alpine ave.
2-story brick house.
Frame stable.
Patton, Robert 121.93
Lot 20x100, Palo Alta st.
2-story brick house.
1-story frame shop.
Powell, Samuel 49.59
Lot 20x10, Alpine ave.
2 2-story frame houses.
Pettigrew, Jno. Wm. 2.48
Lot 19x130, Federal lane.
Parr, Mrs. R. 12.87
Lot 24x80, Taggart st.
2-story frame house and store.
Rife, Thos., and Mary Ann Campbell 55.86
Lot 66x67, Alpine ave.
Stable and shed.
Robinson, Mrs. G. C. 27.90
Lot 20x100, Arch st.
2-story frame house.
Ross, Barbara T. 9.97
Lot 100x92, Yale st.
Smith, C. F. 69.24
Lot 20x83, Jackson st.
2-story brick house.
Stevenson, M. H. 138 55
Lot 20x80, W. Diamond st.
2-story brick house.
Scott, Eliz. 26.52
Lot 30x83, Jackson st.
2½-story houses.
Scott, Francis A., with notice to Thos. A. Rice 22.22
Lot 60x101, Morrison ave.
Shuff, W. J. 58.92
Lot 20x45, Alpine ave.
2-story frame house.
Seeker, Mrs. H. 81.68
Lot 20x75, Dawson st.
2-story brick mansard.
Smith, H. 46.30
Lot 24x181, Perrysville ave.
2-story frame house.
Smith, Maggie 175.83
Lot 50x92, Irwin ave.
2-story frame house.
Lot 20x100, Lithgow ave.
2-story frame house and stable.
Strang, Eliza L. 18.34
Lot 200x100, Melrose ave.
Templeton, Laura J. 131.48
Lot 20x83, Arch st.
2-story brick house.
Taggart, Nancy J. 211.36
Lot 44x183, Irwin ave.
2 2½-story brick houses.
Thompson, Jno., Jr. 99.21
Lot 42x200, W. Jefferson.
2-story frame house.
Warnock, Jno., heirs 89.82
Lot 20x49, Sherman ave.
2-story frame house.
Wood, Mrs. Eliza 71.84
Lot 20x110, Monterey st.
2-story frame house.
Wernett, B. 75.08
2 lots 20x105, Taggart st.
2-story frame house.
White, Calvin C. 4.46
Lot 25x100 Ridgewood st.
Waite, Louisa A. 94.86
2 lots 20x188, Taggart st.
2-story frame house and stable.

THIRD WARD—1900.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Bubb, Rachael $172.65
Lot 40x80, Hemlock st.
2 2-story brick houses.
Byrne, Mary C. 41.50
Lot 22x47, Boyle st.
2-story frame house.
Campbell, Rose E. 97.94
Lot 25x75, Sandusky st.
2-story brick house.
Dorsch, Frank 111.36
Lot 20x110, Chestnut st.
2 2-story houses.
Dunleavy, L. L. 4.87
Lot 20x50, Dunloe st.
Ennis, Robt., trustee 60.58
Lot 20x90, Sandusky st.
2-story brick house.
Froelich, John 100.15
Lot 54x90 Second st.
4 2-story houses.
Fendrich, Henry N. 145.52
Lot 30x50, Perry st.
2-story brick house.
Lot 30x135, Perry st.
Grant, Hugh 13.54
Lot 27x153, Fountain st.
2-story frame house.
Holland, Mrs. J. H. 110.02
Lot 24x60, North ave.
2 2-story brick mansards.
Huckenstein, Henry 84.67
Lot 22x82, Congress st.
2 2-story brick houses.
Hagg, Mary A., et al. 108.74
Lot 50x99, Perry st.
3 2-story frame houses.
Holiane, Louisa A. 140.54
Lot 17x99, Federal st.
2-story brick house.
Karr, John, heirs 61.14
Lot 60x125, Fountain st.
2-story frame house.
Kleber, Henry, heirs 41.19
Lot 18x67, Boyle st.
2-story brick house.
Kress, Mrs. Andrew 137.36
Lot 85x80, Congress st.
3 2-story houses and sheds.
Link, Joseph A. 503.97
2 lots 20x110, Chestnut st.
6 2-story houses.
Lot 84x83, Chestnut st.
2-story brick house.
2 1-story frame storerooms.
Lot 22x82, Congress st
2-story brick house.
Martin, Mrs. Francis 270.42
Lot 20x120, Sandusky st.
2-story brick house.
Lot 17x80, Sandusky st., rear.
Double frame house.
Maginn, James 65.61
Lot 20x80, Sandusky st.
2 2-story frame houses.
Madden, Susan E. 85.15
Lot 21x20, Sandusky st.
2-story brick house.
McNeil, Mary A. 184.97
Lot 20x73, Montgomery ave.
2-story brick house.
Neely, Daniel 18.11
Lot 40x50, Fountain st.
Neeson, John F. 62.29
Lot 22x60, Esplanade st
2-story brick house.
Porter, David 183.39
Lot 27x100, Madison ave.
4 2-story houses.
Lot 20x40, Turner alley.
Frame shanty.
Schaefer, Geo. 178.46
Lot 21x90, Ohio st.
2-story brick house.
Wolf, Frank 68.08
Lot 30x66, Pike st.
2 2-story brick houses.
Werner, Annie 99.82
Lot 20x58, Madison ave.
2-story brick house.
Young, Cath. 89.54
Lot 20x160, O'Hara st.
2 2-story frame houses.
Zewe, N. 38.78
Lot 25x50, Perry st.
2-story brick house.

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Agnew, Mary ..... $ 24.74
Lot 20x80, Avery st.
2 2-story frame houses.
Anshutz, Louis A. 8.15
Lot 20x80, Ohio st.
8-story brick house.
Avery College and Church 44.37
Lot on Avery st.
Brick building.
Bell, Thomas, heirs 861.00
Lot 60x100, Lacock st.
3-story brick house.
2 2-story brick houses.
Lot 20x100, Goodrich st.
2 2-story brick houses.
Bassett, Alex. R. 53.95
Lot 21x68, River ave.
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Lot 20x77, River ave.
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Brown, W. P. 112.12
Lot 52 ft. front on Liberty st.
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Lot 22x120, South Canal st.
3 2-story brick houses.
Frey, Mrs. Carrie 84.78
Lot 22x110, Robinson st.
1-story brick and frame office and shed.
Gerst, Mrs. Kate, with notice to Wilson Bros. 458.92
Lot 20x80, East Diamond st.
4-story brick hotel.
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Lot 22x100, Federal st.
2-story brick house
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Hill, Mrs. Kate L. 258.80
2 lots 22x90, Church ave.
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Lot 23x90, S. Canal st.
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2-story brick building.
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2 3-story brick houses.
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2-story brick printing office.
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Rentzenbrink, J. H. 50.56
Lot 20x70, Chestnut st.
3-story brick house.
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Stephenson, Mrs. J. G. 107.97
Lot 65x90, Arbuckle alley.
4 2-story brick houses.
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Lot 24x140, Fayette st.
3-story brick house.
Hare, Adam 41.96
Lot 24x125, Belmont st.
Frame shop.
Hespenheld, J. H. 25.47
Lot, Beaver ave.
3-story brick house.
Krepps, Jno. E. 14.24
Lot 24x100, Mulberry st.
2-story frame house.
Kirker, Jno. W., with notice to Finney P. Sturtevant 33.87
2-story brick houses.
Lot 22x124, Sheffield st.
Little, Ella V. 249.01
Lot 90x110, Rebecca st.
Brick building.
Milliken, Anna B. 314.30
Lot 70x204, Fulton and Page.
2-story brick house.
2-story frame house.
Mackey, Carrie J., with notice to Geo. H. Stickler 21.79
1-story office.
1-story house.
Beggs, Alexander, Son & Co. 561.40
Lot 63x92, Anderson st.
3-story brick shop.
Lot 42x150, Lacock st.
3 2-story frame houses.
Beggs, W. D. 138.62
Lot 45x133, Lacock st.
2-story frame shop.
Brown, Henry, heirs 347.24
Lot 75x155, Washington st.
2-story brick house and stable.
Bassett, Alex. R. 53.95
Lot 21x68, River ave.
2-story brick house.
Bassett, Edward, heirs 87.50
Lot 20x77, River ave.
2-story brick house.
Bubb, Rachael 71.24
Lot 21x100, River ave.
2 brick houses
Brown, W. P. 112.12
Lot 52 ft. front on Liberty st.
5 2-story frame houses.
Brown, Jno., Jr., heirs 405.84
Lot 85x90, South Diamond st.
2-story brick house.
Bellstein, Wm., heirs 205.57
Lot 44x90, Ohio st.
2 3-story brick houses and stable.
Lot 20x70, Liberty st.
2-story brick house.
Berland, Mrs. Josephine 48.80
Lot 42x100, Robinson st.
2-story brick house.
2-frame office.
Caskey, Robt. 86.07
Lot 22x65, S. Diamond st.
2-story brick house.
Carroll, M., heirs 7.62
Lot 22x40, Post alley.
1-story frame house.
Donnelly, Margt. 46.52
2 lots 15x50, Madison ave.
2 2-story frame houses.
Lot 15x25 Voegtley st.
3-story frame house.
Dalzell, Thomas 655.99
2 lots 22x100, Lacock st.
2 4-story brick buildings.
Driscoll, C. 82.02
Lot 12x75, Morgan st.
2-story brick house.
Donohue, E. M. 87.00
Lot 21x69, Post alley.
2-story brick house.
Febring, Wm., heirs 128.60
Lot 22x120, South Canal st.
3 2-story brick houses.
Frey, Mrs. Carrie 84.78
Lot 22x110, Robinson st.
1-story brick and frame office and shed.
Gerst, Mrs. Kate, with notice to Wilson Bros. 458.92
Lot 20x80, East Diamond st.
4-story brick hotel.
Graham, J. L., heirs 33.08
Lot 22x100, Federal st.
2-story brick house
Lot 18x100,

PROSPERITY PROVEN BY FIGURES

REPORT SHOWS STARTLING FACTS

Statistics Reveal That American Banking Power Leads the World.

URGES EMPHASIS ON THE GOLD STANDARD

Figures Tell of an Enormous Increase in the Total Amount of Deposits and Show That Average Amount of Savings Is Highest.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—The annual report of William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, has been prepared for transmission to congress. The report starts with a detailed statement of the resources and liabilities of the national banks, as shown by the five reports of condition made in response to the call of the comptroller. In commenting on this statement, the comptroller says:

The authorized capital stock of the 4,270 national banking associations in existence on October 31, 1901, was $969,224,195, which is a net increase during the year of $30,781,805. There was an increase in capital stock of $31,874,600 by banks organized during the year, including $120,000 of newly organized associations, which increased their capital stock to that amount subsequent to the date of organization. The associations which were in existence on October 31, 1900, increased their capital stock during the year to the extent of $2,818,000. There was a decrease of capital stock of $3,740,000 by voluntary liquidations. This amount includes the capital stock of banks which have not yet deposited lawful money to retire their circulation and withdraw their bonds, the accounts being still carried on the books of this office. During the year 13 associations, with capital stock of $1,969,000, were passed in charge of receivers, of which, however, three, with combined capital stock of $540,000, were proved to be solvent and permitted to resume business, leaving the number and capital stock of insolvent banks for the year 11 and $1,769,000, respectively. There was a further loss of capital stock of $1,752,000, by the reduction of capital stock of active associations. Of the 23 associations in voluntary liquidation 22 were succeeded by or consolidated with other national banks; 6 were absorbed by state banks or trust companies, and 11 liquidated for the purpose of winding up their affairs.

The number of reporting associations increased from 3,942 on December 18, 1900, to 4,221 on September 10, 1901. The aggregate resources of the banks on the latter date reached a higher point than ever before in the history of the national banking system, namely, $5,095,347,794 90, an increase since September 5, 1900, of $047,203,-795 07. Each successive report during the year shows an increase in volume of loans and discounts. On December 18, 1900, the amount of assets of this character reported was $3,553,565,-and on September 30, 1901, $3,018,815,915 40, an increase since the report on September 5, 1900, of $333,856,275 83.

On March 14, 1900, the date of report assent to March 14 of that year, when the act was approved authorizing the issue of circulating notes to the par value of bonds deposited therefor, bonds for that purpose were held by the treasurer of the United States in trust to the amount of $236,283,870. On December 18, 1900, the amount had increased to $250,242,150, and on September 30, 1901, to $329,317,830. Bonds on deposit as security for government deposits increased from $31,414,870 on December 18, 1900, to $107,107,400 on September 30, 1901. The total assignments of national bank in government bonds on December 18, 1900, amounted to $[illegible], and on September 30, 1901, to $[illegible].

On February 13, 1900, the aggregate amount of paid-in capital of 3,604 banks reporting was $618,084,487. By December 18, 1900, with an increase of banks to 3,942, there was an increase of capital to $632,353,405. The date of last report from the 4,221 banks, their paid-in capital stock is shown to have been $655,341,-580, compared with September 5, 1900, their paid-in capital stock had increased since that date to the sum of $25,042,849 28. The surplus and undivided profits of the associations on September 30, 1901, were $370,532,853 62 and $180,240 26, respectively, aggregating $370,713,093 88, an amount equal to two-thirds of the paid-in capital stock. Since September 5, 1900, the outstanding circulation of national banks, as reported by the reports of condition, has increased in the sum of $39,814,988, standing on September 30, 1901, at $323,583,897 50. There is still carried on the books of the bureau, converted treasury notes, the circulating notes issued by the latter to the amount of $[illegible].

National banks held the greatest amount of individual deposits during the existence of the system on July 15, 1901, namely, $2,941,827,-728 77. Liabilities to depositors on December 18, 1900, were organized $2,638,967,253 85, and on date of last report $2,937,785,253 33, a decrease since July 15, 1901, of $4,084,195 44, but an increase since September 5, 1900, of $429,-904,870 60.

Government deposits on September 30, 1901, showed an increase over the amount held on December 18, 1900, of $23,415,992 20, the aggregate held on the latter date being $101,-966,776 63.

The net amount of liabilities of national banking associations on September 30, 1901, on which reserve was required, aggregated $3,695,314,774, the reserve required thereon being $736,743,977 87, and amount held $1,-912,209,102 87, or 27.63 per cent.

The composition of this reserve was as follows:

Specie	$388,538,571 18
Legal-tender notes	161,018,781 00
Due from reserve agents	456,638,517 75
Redemption fund with the treasurer of the United States	16,104,962 66

The refunding clause of the act of March 14, 1900, is a material change in the basis of bonds on deposit with the treasurer of the United States, in trust as security for national bank circulation. On October 31, 1900, bonds on deposit had increased to $220,838,930, of which, with the exception of about 4 per cent, consisted of 2 per cent consols of

On October 31, 1901, the outstanding circulation of national banks amounted to $320,-2,715, an increase for the year of $28,219,-447, and since the passage of the act of March 14, 1900, of $105,806,458.

The comptroller has prepared tables showing the aggregate resources of national, state savings banks, private banks, and loan and trust companies from reports made to him or obtained from other sources. The result of this investigation shows the existence of 12,-972 banks of all kinds in the country, with an aggregate capital of $1,188,042,134; surplus and undivided profits of $632,495,096 and $370,-855,304, respectively; deposits, $8,019,285,110, and loans and discounts, $6,491,630,743.

Situation in New England.

In the New England states there are shown to be in operation, by these returns, 1,103 banks, with deposits aggregating $1,511,208,112 and loans of $1,112,106,141. In the eastern states as the return from 1,576 banks show deposits aggregating $4,136,162,050 and loans of $2,831,473,771. The excess of deposits over loans in this geographical division and in the New England states is due to large investments in stocks, bonds and other securities by savings banks.

The deposits in banks in the southern states amount to $501,605,118 and loans to $493,188,-951; in the middle states deposits aggregate $1,720,073,067 and loans $1,520,904,384; in the western states the deposits in the banks are shown to be $294,383,819 and the loans $229,-660,967. In the Pacific states deposits aggregate $412,554,452 and loans $290,108,156.

The report shows that during the year ended March 1, 1901, on average capital of $602,-396,093 61 and surplus and profits of $366,-120,656 the earnings in gross amounted to $107,063,623 24, from which were charged off losses and premiums aggregating $34,854,407 68 and expenses of $25,373,540 92, leaving net earnings of $37,674,174 64, from which dividends were paid at an average rate of 8.1 per cent, the amount being $80,219,115 21. Combining capital and surplus, the rate of dividend paid thereon was 5.7 per cent.

Under the various acts of congress 6,006 banks with an authorized capital of $795,-670,697 have been organized, of which 4,270 were in active operation at the close of the report year, 1,340 voluntary liquidation, and 887 in charge of receivers or finally closed.

The act of March 14, 1900, gave new impetus to the national banking system, and from that date to October 31, 1901, there were organized 742 national banking associations with capital stock aggregating $89,620,500, and bond deposits to secure circulation of $11,-025,850. Banks organized included 503 with individual capital of less than $50,000, chartered under authority of that act. The capital of these banks aggregated $23,194,500. Associations organized with capital of $50,000 or over numbered 239, the aggregate capital being $25,835,000. Bonds deposited by the smaller class amount to $4,663,100 and by the larger class $6,456,750.

Some Bank History.

On February 25, 1863, congress passed an act entitled, "An act to provide a national currency," etc., section 11 of which provides in part that any association organized thereunder "shall have succession by the name designated in its articles of association for the period limited therein, not, however, exceeding 20 years from the passage of this act."

Under this act 488 national banking associations were organized, of which 98 were for a period of 19 years only. Of the total number of associations organized prior to June 3, 1864, 10 only remained under the act of February 25, 1863, 208 were closed—161 by voluntary liquidation, 21 by reason of expiration of corporate existence, 25 by insolvency, and one by reason of failure to complete organization. Sixty of the banks placed in voluntary liquidation were succeeded by new associations, and six were consolidated with other banks; 17 of the 21 whose corporate existence expired by limitation were reorganized under the act of February 25, 1863, 245 banks, capital, $90,588,300. The date of the first expiration is July 14, 1902.

The failure by congress to take timely action authorizing the extension of the charters of banks organized under the act of February 25, 1863, necessitated the liquidation and subsequent reorganization of 77 associations desiring to continue in the system under different charter numbers, but with the same or similar titles.

The act of June 3, 1864, repealing the act of February 25, 1863, and re-enacting, with amendments, the national banking law, included a provision to the effect that any national banking association "shall have succession by the name designated in its organization certificate for a period of 20 years from its organization." A national bank under section 5133 becomes a body corporate from the date of the execution of its organization certificate, the date of the last acknowledgment (where there is more than one) being construed as the date of the execution of the certificate.

Wants Charters Extended.

During the last session of congress the following bill to provide for the extension of the charters of national banks, passed the house of representatives, but failed to receive consideration in the senate:

"Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, That the comptroller of the currency is hereby authorized, in the manner provided by, and under the conditions and limitations of section 5169 of the revised statutes, to extend for a further period of 20 years the charter of any national banking association extended under said act which shall desire to continue in existence after the expiration of its charter.

"Passed the house of representatives February 4, 1901."

It is urgently recommended that this bill, or similar measure, be enacted into law. As heretofore stated, inasmuch as the first charter will expire in July, 1902, prompt action on the part of congress is necessary, in order that those associations and others whose corporate existence will terminate early in the coming year may avoid the expense and inconvenience incident to enforced liquidation and thereby secure new associations, and be afforded ample time to take the preliminary steps necessary to an extension before expiration of their charters.

The act of July 12, 1882, providing for the extension of the corporate existence of national banking associations included provisions requiring national banking associations whose corporate existence was extended, by default within three years, lawful money with the treasurer of the United States to redeem the remainder of the circulation which was outstanding at date of extension, and the issuing of new circuating notes bearing devices making them readily distinguishable from the notes theretofore issued.

In order to facilitate the redemption of old note issues of banks extending their corporate existence, it is respectfully recommended that a provision be added to the foregoing extension bill, applicable alike to national banks whose charters are extended or re-extended, requiring a deposit of lawful money within six months from the date of extension instead of three years, as provided in the act of July 12, 1882.

Lends the World in Savings.

In addition to the national banking associations whose charters were extended under the act of July 12, 1882, and will reach the termination of their second corporate existence between July 14, 1902, and December 21, 1903, the charters of 370 banks, capital $56,000,000, will expire between November 1, 1901, and December 31, 1903. The expiration in 1901 number 27; in the calendar year 1902, 180, and 1903, 163. The expiration of charters for the first and second times during the period beginning on November 1, 1901, and terminating December 31, 1903, number 650, the capital stock of the banks interested being $123,768,300.

Consolidated returns from incorporated state, savings banks, trust companies, and private banks and bankers with returns from the 4,169 national banking associations reporting on July 16, 1901, a total of 11,400 reporting banks and banking institutions, with aggregate resources of $12,997,477,376, an increase from 10,382 banks with $10,185,834,490 resources in 1900. Capital stock is shown as amounting to $1,076,-120,656; surplus and undivided profits, $805,-606,036, and deposits $8,554,467,540. The principal items of resources are as follows: Loans and discounts, $6,425,431,261; United States bonds, $540,901,250; other bonds, stocks, and securities, $2,280,566,208, and cash on hand, $807,510,077.

Comparing the volume of business of the savings banks of the United States with those of the European countries, the report shows that in the matter of deposits the United States, as for years past, stands at the head, with 11,553,300,000 francs ($2,316,660,000). The country with the next largest amount of savings deposits is Germany, with $1,900,000,000. Austria-Hungary follows, with $1,203,240,000. The savings deposits in the banks of France and the United Kingdom are $854,220,000 and $820,020,000, respectively. The only other countries with savings deposits of $200,000,000 or over are Russia, Belgium, and Switzerland.

The average amount to the credit of depositors in savings banks is greatest in the United States, namely, $406.23. The average in Canada is $340 24; in Austria-Hungary, $221 59; Denmark, $168 80; in Switzerland and Australia, $153 84 and $153 30, respectively; Servia and Greece, $150 64 and $150 32, respectively; Spain, $146 25; Norway, $124 84, and Sweden, $100 54. In no other country does the average deposit exceeds $100.

The greatest average deposit per inhabitant is shown in Denmark, the amount being $77 88. In Switzerland the average is $65 06; Germany, $37 64; Norway, $37 16; Australia, $36 60; Belgium, $31 76; United States, $31 22; Austria-Hungary, $30 08; Sweden, $25 96; France, $24 16; Great Britain, $20 62.

Relative to the banking power of the world, the comptroller uses as a basis for his estimates the figures for 1890 given in the 1895 edition of the late M. G. Mulhall's Dictionary of Statistics, which volume states the amount as approximating $3,197,000,000. The banking power of the United Kingdom, which amounted in 1890 to $910,000,000, has increased to £1,180,000,000, as shown by reports of the incorporated and private banks on or about the close of the year ended June 30, 1901, and of the possible cash in the joint stock savings banks of the kingdom at the close of the year 1900. This indicates an increase during that period of £280,000,000, or 31 per cent. The estimated banking power of continental Europe and other foreign countries, that the same proportion of increase occurred therein as in the United Kingdom. **The banking power of the world since 1890 has been augmented since 1890 by £1,249,000,-000, an increase of 121 per cent.**

Aggregating the banking power of the United Kingdoms and the United States with the estimated power of continental Europe and other countries, an increase since 1890 of 121 per cent is found in the middle ground. Most of the more enlightened countries of the world and those which have the most satisfactory banking systems, have some kind of asset banking. Should it be found able to incorporate some features of this kind with our national bank currency in such a way as to in no way impair its safety, but add to its efficiency and elasticity in other respects. Under proper laws an asset currency can be used to supply an emergency circulation for which there is a pressing need not now supplied by our national banks, and as our people become more used to it and see its good points the use may be extended. Progress in this direction should be and will have to be slow. The absolute security of our national bank notes and the fact that no one ever looks at a note to see by what bank it is issued, has popularized them with our people, and there will always be a strong sentiment in favor of letting well enough alone when it comes to changing our bank notes.

"This question is, however, becoming pressing and immediate. In the near future it will have to be determined by congress what shall be done with the national banks and their circulating notes, and what changes are to be made in the various kinds of paper currency now in circulation."

Repeal Is Urged.

The comptroller recommends the repeal of the second proviso of section 12 of the act of March 14, 1900, which limits the issue of $3 national bank notes. In this connection he calls attention to the fact that not once since the year 1874 has the aggregate issues by the banks of $5 notes exceeded one-third of the total outstanding circulation, which is the 40 per cent limit fixed by the first proviso of the proviso, however, is such as to seriously hamper those banks which, by their location, cannot use to advantage notes of a greater denomination than $5. The ratio which the aggregate of $5 notes outstanding on October 31, 1901, bore to the total issue of national bank circulation was about 16 per cent, having increased from 15.3 per cent on October 18, 1900, the day before the passage of the act.

Among other recommendations the comptroller presents the following paragraphs relating to the questions of loans to officers and directors, excessive loans, and the advisability of changing the method of compensating the national bank examiners from the present fee system to one of salary:

In commenting on the present system of sub-treasuries, the comptroller calls attention to the dangers that arise from the management in the interests of the country, afforded by the purchase of bonds by the secretary of the treasury only partially and temporarily meets the difficulty and repairs the damage done. The mistake of maintaining this system affects the business of the government and the country has long outgrown it should be corrected and the business community be given relief from its operation in the matter of keeping out of circulation when most needed. If the secretary of the treasury is given authority so that he can arrange to have more of the money collected by the government deposited with the national banks and kept there until needed, it can be done under such regulations, restrictions and supervision as to insure the government against loss and give relief from the present system."

Must Ensure Gold Standard.

Referring to the criticism which has been made of the act of March 14, 1900, to the effect that it does not properly safeguard the gold standard, but leaves it possible for the secretary of the treasury practically under the effect of the act to take departmental action and regulation without further legislation, the comptroller says:

"If the act can be made stronger by amendment and the gold standard of value rendered more secure from any future uncertainty, it should be done without any delay, while the question is still uppermost, and to force it to a settlement by the greater number of new questions being urged as subjects for action by congress.

"Since the passage of the act of March 14, 1900, the total amount of circulation which all the national banks have outstanding has been increased from $284,026,220 to $350,832,715, an increase of $105,806,250, or over 41 per cent.

"The provisions of the act have also added somewhat to the elasticity of the national bank currency. It, however, leaves much to be desired in the way of elasticity, the lack of which is the greatest fault of our national bank issues.

"Congress has already had under discussion and consideration various measures for the modification of the national bank currency. There is much discussion of the subject by bankers and financiers, and many plans are urged for adoption. Somewhere between the views of the ardent advocates of asset currency and those who oppose it with vehemence as unsafe and unsound in every respect, there should be found the middle ground. Most of the more enlightened countries of the world and those which have the most satisfactory banking systems, have some kind of asset banking. Should it be found able to incorporate some features of this kind with our national bank currency in such a way as to in no way impair its safety, but add to its efficiency and elasticity in other respects. Under proper laws an asset currency can be used to supply an emergency circulation for which there is a pressing need not now supplied by our national banks, and as our people become more used to it and see its good points the use may be extended. Progress in this direction should be and will have to be slow. The absolute security of our national bank notes and the fact that no one ever looks at a note to see by what bank it is issued, has popularized them with our people, and there will always be a strong sentiment in favor of letting well enough alone when it comes to changing our bank notes.

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Dry Goods.

MANCHESTER, Dec. 1.—The cloth market was less active this week than it was last. The fall in exchanges on China had a deterrent effect on business, and furthermore a considerable section was sufficiently engaged to enable it to resist the attempts to reduce prices. This section is naturally helping the weaker sellers. The market was fairly steady, although in some directions there is considerable anxiety to secure business. Both factories and buyers were in favor of important eastern outlets, and were not confident of the maintenance of the present rates for cotton. The offerings were based upon four-penny cotton. There was a fair Indian inquiry, but it was difficult to negotiate and transactions were not extensive. China business was scarcely mentioned during the week. Merchants were fairly well supplied with South American business and have taken but moderate parcels. The Mediterranean trade was quieter. Yarns were steady and inactive. Users appear to be more cautious, but the position from the point of view of the spinners is better, as the present stocks are being somewhat reduced. The turnover was moderate.

Foreign Bank Statement.

MADRID, Dec. 1.—The report of the Bank of Spain for the week ended yesterday shows the following: Gold in hand increased 6,000 pesetas; silver in hand increased 5,772,000 pesetas; notes in circulation decreased 6,370,000 pesetas. Spanish 4s closed yesterday at 78 40. Gold was quoted at 40.75.

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WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The following is a complete statement of the averages of loans and discounts, legal-tenders, specie, circulation and net deposits of the New York City Banks composing the New York Clearing House Association for the week ending Saturday, November 30, 1901:

BANKS.	Capital.	Loans and Discounts.	Specie.	Legal Tenders	Net Deposits.	Circulation.
Bk. N. Y. N. E. A...	$ 2,000,000	$ 10,026,000	$ 3,388,000	$ 1,491,000	$ 18,842,000	$997,000
Bk. of the Manh. Co..	2,000,000	28,545,000	5,626,000	2,130,600	28,216,000	.....
Merchants Nat	2,000,000	12,471,800	1,750,200	1,255,800	14,393,700	1,800,000
Mechanics Nat	2,000,000	12,576,000	2,418,000	1,130,000	13,181,000	.....
Bank of America.....	1,500,000	19,889,100	5,356,400	2,475,600	22,500,400	.....
Phoenix National.....	1,000,000	4,657,000	840,000	292,000	4,435,000	46,200
Nat. City Bank.....	10,000,000	112,870,000	28,570,000	6,558,800	128,630,700	4,236,500
Chemical National.....	300,000	24,170,200	4,600,400	2,602,100	28,798,600	.....
Merch. Ex. Nat.....	600,000	5,397,400	538,600	687,700	5,744,500	247,200
Gallatin National.....	1,000,000	9,489,000	1,108,800	932,900	7,860,500	988,700
Nat. Butch. & Drov..	300,000	1,168,400	365,300	61,000	1,477,500	49,500
Am. Exch. Nat.....	5,000,000	2,990,000	448,000	225,000	5,336,000	.....
Greenwich Bank.....	200,000	920,100	113,100	178,100	850,200	.....
Leather Manuf. Nat..	600,000	4,826,000	1,321,100	190,500	5,371,500	462,000
Seventh National....	1,700,000	4,714,100	1,304,200	120,600	4,464,900	197,000
State Bk. of N. Y....	1,200,000	4,484,700	624,300	317,100	4,135,800	.....
Amer. Exchange Nat..	5,000,000	28,462,000	6,248,000	1,242,000	23,825,000	4,924,000
Nat. Bk. of Commerce	10,000,000	71,895,600	8,555,000	6,010,200	61,184,400	7,481,000
National Broadway....	1,000,000	6,803,300	1,084,000	265,300	6,123,200	264,200
Mercantile National..	1,000,000	7,896,100	1,870,100	1,642,000	15,601,600	892,300
Pacific Bank	422,700	2,465,600	436,300	490,500	3,398,600	.....
Chatham National.....	450,000	5,945,700	865,200	908,500	6,012,900	49,200
Peoples Bank.....	200,000	2,055,300	280,900	760,000	3,061,800	.....
Nat. Bank of Com. Am.	1,000,000	11,844,200	1,315,800	1,175,500	11,132,500	725,100
Hanover National.....	3,000,000	47,342,000	8,380,000	5,668,200	26,429,000	2,970,400
Irving National.....	500,000	4,286,000	617,800	450,700	4,302,000	246,300
National Citizens.....	600,000	4,466,800	1,102,300	397,300	5,254,500	294,100
Nassau Bank	500,000	2,809,000	577,000	284,000	3,042,700	.....
Mark. & Fulton Nat...	600,000	6,065,000	1,082,700	746,000	6,648,000	50,000
Nat. Shoe & Leather...	1,000,000	8,962,500	736,700	362,600	4,423,200	49,400
Corn Exchange.....	1,400,000	22,684,000	4,482,000	2,356,000	27,208,000	.....
Oriental Bank.....	300,000	2,145,800	167,400	215,300	2,113,700	.....
Imp. & Traders Nat...	1,500,000	28,615,000	4,304,000	1,204,000	21,753,000	48,800
National Park Bank...	2,000,000	48,239,000	14,918,000	3,784,000	61,531,000	49,500
East River National..	250,000	1,240,900	271,100	212,300	1,544,300	50,000
Fourth National.....	3,000,000	22,247,100	5,702,600	2,482,500	24,958,700	50,000
Central National.....	1,000,000	10,656,000	1,801,000	1,564,000	13,338,000	560,000
Second National.....	300,000	2,435,000	1,531,900	1,204,000	10,444,000	245,000
Ninth National.....	750,000	9,951,900	182,400	142,000	906,000	49,900
First National.....	10,000,000	76,007,500	10,534,600	2,075,500	75,788,000	2,245,000
N. Y. National Exch..	500,000	4,165,700	681,600	415,200	4,611,100	390,700
Bowery	250,000	5,344,000	585,000	353,000	3,574,000	.....
N. Y. County National	200,000	4,068,200	690,100	294,500	4,895,000	50,000
German American.....	750,000	9,455,900	927,100	693,200	9,392,200	.....
Chase National.....	1,000,000	42,374,100	11,825,100	1,766,500	51,784,800	550,000
Fifth Avenue.....	100,000	9,066,800	2,073,600	364,200	9,078,000	.....
German Exchange.....	200,000	2,250,900	213,400	850,100	3,450,500	.....
Germania	200,000	3,980,200	417,700	532,000	4,528,100	75,000
United States.....	300,000	13,840,100	2,932,500	2,393,700	16,761,500	246,000
Gold National.....	1,000,000	7,223,200	1,572,300	881,400	7,420,200	40,800
National	200,000	2,142,900	411,700	187,800	2,312,600	195,800
Bank of the Metropolis	1,000,000	7,088,900	1,414,800	467,700	6,983,000	.....
Gilde	200,000	2,677,000	388,000	342,000	2,874,000	.....
National	500,000	12,045,000	1,176,000	2,189,000	14,022,000	50,000
National	2,100,000	35,417,500	8,831,800	2,872,600	42,769,100	50,000
Brooklyn	200,000	4,187,000	510,000	525,000	4,528,000	75,000
National	500,000	6,787,000	1,128,100	425,000	6,417,100	428,400
ge Exch...	1,000,000	4,280,800	679,700	334,500	4,151,700	.....
am Nat.	250,000	2,847,200	1,146,100	244,400	3,805,400	50,000
al	300,000	4,051,000	702,300	285,700	4,090,000	250,000
er Nat	500,000	2,464,500	387,000	407,800	1,916,000	380,000
.....	$83,622,700	$876,162,200	$176,180,500	$72,395,200	$940,968,600	$31,975,000

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Strong Values in all Departments—Hams and Lard Advance.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Receipts bulletined: Manchester yards, 37 cars hay, 2 cars rye, 3 cars oats, 6 cars corn; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 1 car oats. Total receipts, 49 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, corn, oats and straw corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 50@8 00; wheat, $7 50@8 00; rye, $8 25@9 75.

Hay—Choice timothy, $14 75@15 00; No. 1 do, $14 25@14 50; No. 2 do, $13 00@13 75; No. 1 mixed, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 clover, $11 00@11 50; prairie, $10 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@10 00; loose from wagon, $18 00@17 00.

Corn—Milling price, delivered, No. 2 Michigan, 65@66c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 63@69c f. o. b. car within radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled, 69@70c; high mixed, 68@68¼c; No. 2 mixed, 67@67¼c; No. 2 yellow ear, 71@72c; high mixed, 69@69c; No. 2 mixed, 67@67½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 49½@50c; extra No. 3, 48@49c; regular 3s, 47@48c.

Millfeed—Middlings, No. 1 white, $26 00@27 00 per ton; No. 2, $24 50@25 00; brown, $22 00@23 00; bran, $23 00@23 50.

Groceries.

Flour—Jobbers' price: Fancy spring patents, $3 90@4 00; fancy winter patents, $3 70@3 80; straight winter, $3 50@3 60; bakers' spring, $3 50@3 60; rye, $3 50@3 60; graham, $4 25@4 50; cornmeal, bbl, $3 85; 10-lb cotton bags, 22c.

Sugars—Standard granulated, 4.90c; fine granulated, bbl 10c-lb and 25-lb jute bags, 4.95c; 60 2-lb cartons and 20 5-lb cotton bags, 5.05c; powdered, 5.00c; powdered xxxx, 5.15c; cubes, 5.15c; cut loaf, 5.50c; confectioners' A, 4.70c; No. 2 spot white, 4.85c; No. 4 do, 4.80c; No. 7 yellow, 4.20c; No. 8 do, 4.10c; No. 9 do, 4.05c. (Quotations are f. o. b. cars New York, which gives cost at your nearest railroad station. The price for Pittsburgh is 15 cents per 100 lbs above these quotations.)

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbls, $5 35; kegs, $2 85; packages, $2 50@3 25; oat meal, bbls, $5 75; kegs, $3 00.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 40@41c; fancy sugar syrups, 27@29c; sugar and cane, 23@24c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, $1 00 per doz.

Salt—No. 1, $1 00 per bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 30; granulated rock, 90c sack.

Dried Fruits—Apples, Sun Dried Rix, 3@3½c; Evaporated, 22¼@23½c; Maricados, 17@17½c; Cherry, 17@18¼c; Cascades, 19¼@20c; Golden Rio, 13@15½c; Java, 26@28c; Mocha, 25½c; standard Bourbon, 24c; Santos, 19

WHEAT RULED FAIRLY ACTIVE

Reports of Dry Weather Prevented What Might Have Been a Slump.

ALL OFFERINGS FOUND READY BUYERS

Shorts Covered at the Low Point and a Slight Reaction Followed. New York and St. Louis Were Sellers—Receipts Heavy.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Profit taking all around brought declines in all pits on the board today, December wheat closing ½@¾c down, December corn ⅝@½c lower and December oats ⅜c depressed. Provisions closed unchanged to 5c lower.

Wheat ruled moderately active and started out with some of the bull impetus left over from yesterday. December opened ½@¾c higher at 73½c to 73¾c on higher cables. Profit taking in view of December deliveries Monday began at once. The selling was mostly on the part of locals, while commission houses took up all that was offered early. Dry weather influenced steady prices in the face of heavy receipts and selling by St. Louis and New York. Gradually the market slipped off until December sold down to 72⅞@73c. Shorts at this figure covered and prices reacted slightly. December closed easy ½@¾c down at 73@73½c. Receipts were 117 cars, 17 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 898 cars, making a total for the three points of 1,015 cars, against 937 last week and 621 a year ago. Primary receipts were 1,017,000 bushels, compared with 811,000 bushels last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 218,000 bushels.

Estimated receipts for Monday—Wheat 80 cars, corn 75 cars, oats 200 cars, hogs 45,000 head.

The leading futures corrected by Lathrop R. Bacon & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, 209 Sixth street, range as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'rday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
Nov.	....	....	....	73⅞	73½
Dec.	73½	73½	73	73⅜	73¾
May	78	77⅝	76½	77	77½
CORN					
No. 2.					
Nov.	....	....	....	62	62⅜
Dec.	62⅜	62⅜	61¾	62	62¼
May	65⅞	65⅞	64½	64⅞	65⅛
July	64⅞	64⅝	64½	64½	65
OATS					
No. 2.					
Dec.	42½	42½	42	42¼	42½
May	43¾	43¾	43	43⅝	43⅝
July	39	39	38¾	38¾	39
MESS PORK.					
Jan.	16 40	16 40	16 15	16 22½	16 27½
May	16 72½	16 77½	16 45	16 60	16 62½
LARD.					
Dec.	9 55	9 57½	9 55	9 57½	9 60
Jan.	9 57½	9 57½	9 57½	9 57½	9 55
May	9 05	9 70	9 60	9 62½	9 62½
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan.	8 45	8 45	8 32½	8 37½	8 37½
May	8 57½	8 62½	8 50	8 62½	8 55

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour firm; winter patents, $3 50@3 60; do straights, $3 00@3 40; do clears, $2 70@3 20; spring specials, $4 00@4 10; do patents, $4 30@4 70; do straights, $4 00@4 20; do bakers, $3 40@3 60. Spring wheat, 69½@71c; No. 2 red do, 75¼@77½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 64½c; No. 2 oats, 45¼c; No. 2 white do, 45½@46c; No. 3 white do, 45@45½c. No. 2 rye, 60@61c. Fair to choice malting barley, 59@60c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 40; No. 1 N. W. do, $1 40; prime timothy seed, $6 25; clover (contract grade), $9 00; mess pork, $15 15@15 25; lard, $9 55@9 80; short ribs, sides (loose), $8 25@8 45; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $7 12½@7 50; short clear sides (boxed), $8 70@8 80; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 32.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	29,400	31,000
Wheat, bus.	182,000	379,000
Corn, bus.	112,000	210,000
Oats, bus.	366,000	317,000
Rye, bus.	2,000	short.
Barley, bus.	128,000	13,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Flour—Receipts, 34,710 bbls; exports, 13,973 bbls; market very steady but less active. Winter patents, $3 60@3 90; winter straights, $3 40@3 50; Minnesota patents $3 75@4 10; winter extras, $2 50@2 90. Minnesota bakers, $2 90@3 25; winter low grades, $2 50@2 60. Rye flour firm; fair to good, $3 15@3 40; choice to fancy, $3 45@3 60. Buckwheat steady at $1 25 per 100 lbs track New York. Cornmeal steady; yellow western, $1 33; city, $1 31; Brandywine, $2 40@2 50.

Grain—Rye steady; No. 2 western, 68¼c f. o. b. afloat; state rye, 63@64c c. i. f. New York (carlots). Barley firm; feeding, 59@61c c. i. f. Buffalo; malting, 63@68c c. i. f. Buffalo. Wheat—Receipts, 82,600 bu; spot market quiet; No. 2 red, 83¾c elevator; No. 1 northern Duluth, 82¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Duluth, 88¾c f. o. b. afloat. Options opened firm on a scare of local shorts and later cables. When the weakness in outside markets, however, unloading promptly developed and prices eased off; closed dull and easy at a partial ⅛c net decline; March, 83¼@83⅝c, closed at 83¼c; May, 82 5-16@82¾c, closed at 82¾c; December, 80½@81c, closed at 80⅝c. Corn—Receipts, 81,000 bu; exports, 60,316 bu; spot market dull; No. 2, 68¾c in elevator and 70¼c f. o. b. afloat. Option market opened firm with wheat, but eventually gave way under selling for long account and easier cables, closed easy at ⅝@¾c net loss. May, 68⅝@69⅝c, closed at 68¾c; December, 68¾@69c, closed at 68½c. Oats—Receipts, 103,500 bu; exports, 7,120 bu. Spot market steady; No. 2, 48c; No. 3, 47½c; No. 2 white, 52c; No. 3 white, 51½c; track mixed western, 48@49½c; track white, 49@51c. Options quiet and barely steady.

Groceries—Rice steady; domestic fair to extra, 4¾@5¾c; Japan, 4¼@5¼c. Molasses steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 37@42c.

Miscellaneous—Hay steady; shipping, 60@65c; good to choice, 82½@90c. Hops quiet; state common to choice, 1901 crop, 12@15½c; 1900 crop, 9@14c; 1899 crop, 5@11c. Hides steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs, 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs, 19½c; Texas dry, 20 to 30 lbs, 14½c. Leather quiet; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavyweights, 26½@28½c. Wool quiet; domestic fleeces, 25½@29c; Texas, 16@17c. Coal quiet, Beef steady; family, $11@12 50; mess, $9 50@10; beef hams, $20 50@21 50; packet, $10 50@12; tely extra India mess, $17@19. Cutmeats steady; pickled bellies, 8¾@10¼c; pickled shoulders, 7c; pickled hams, 9¾@10¼c. Lard easy; western steamed, 6.92½c; refined steady; continent, 10c; South America, 10½c; compound, 7¼@7¾c. Pork firm; family, $16 50@17; short clear, $17 50@19; mess, $16@17. Cottonseed oil firm; prime yellow, 36½@36½c. Petroleum dull; refined New York, $7 65; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $7 60; do in bulk, $5. Rosin steady; strained, common to good, $1 55. Turpentine quiet at 37½@38c.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—While no further change occurred in tin at New York today the market was very unsettled and decidedly in buyers' favor, helped along by private cables from abroad, which indicated a further decline there on the curb. Trading, however, was of the usual Saturday half-holiday nature. At the close here spot was quoted at 28¾ 00@29 50. Copper displayed little animation and closed quiet, with Lake Superior quoted at $16 85@17 00, and casting and electrolytic, $16 37½@15 62½. Lead dull at $4 37½. Spelter nominally steady at $4 80. Iron ruled quite featureless, but had a steady undertone. Pig iron warrants, $10 50@11 00; No. 1 northern foundry, $10 00@16 00; No. 2 foundry southern, $14 00@15 00; No. 1 foundry southern, $14 50@15 50; No. 1 foundry southern soft, $14 50@16 00. No market advices from abroad.

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 30.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penn. Railroad	74⅛	U. G. Imp	117½
Philadel. Trac.	97⅜	Tidewater Steel	9½
Union Traction	32⅜	Cambria Steel Co.	25
Elec. & Peo. 4s	97½	E. C. of Amer.	6½
Con. Trac. N. J.	67	American Sys.	44¼
Con. Lake Boat	22¾	Alkali	12
Storage com.	62	L. V.	37⅝
Do preferred	61	Powder	9
Phil. Electric	4¾		

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Mining stocks closed:

Adams Con	.18	Little Chief	.12
Alice	.03	Ontario	2.50
Brunswick Con	.13	Phoenix	.07
Comstock Tunnel	.06	Potosi	.02
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.60	Savage	.03
Deadwood Terra	.60	Sierra Nevada	.06
Horn Silver	.50	Small Hopes	.10
Leadville Con	.06	Standard	8.75

THE PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD

SALES AND QUOTATIONS.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1901.

The public sales to detail were:

At Call.

4	Crucible Steel pfd. 86
25	Crucible Steel pfd. 86
50	Crucible Steel pfd. 85⅞
10	Crucible Steel pfd. 86
15	Crucible Steel pfd. 86
25	Crucible Steel pfd. 86
$10,000	Mon. R. Coal 6s. 116⅜
100	Pgh. Coal com. 27½
100	Pgh. Coal com. 27⅝
50	Pgh. Coal com. 27⅝
100	U. S. Steel pfd. 86⅛
25	Crucible Steel pfd. 85⅞
25	Crucible Steel pfd. 85¾
20	Crucible Steel pfd. 85¾
50	Pgh. Coal pfd. 91
10	Far. Dep. Bk. r. *75
10	Far. Dep. Bk. r. *75
$11,000	Pgh. Coal 5s. 116⅜
50	Crucible Steel com. 24⅝
100	Mon. R. Coal com. 13½
50	Pgh. Coal com. 27½
85	West. Elec. Lab. 73⅛

After Call.

10	Pgh. Brew. com. 24½
10	Con. Ice com. 17¼
10	Con. Ice com. 18¾
10	Con. Ice pfd. 91
109	U. S. Steel com. 43⅜
10	U. S. Steel com. 43⅜
20	Pgh. Coal com. 27½
10	Lustre Mining 9½
25	Crucible Steel pfd. 85⅞
25	Crucible Steel pfd. 85⅞

*Cash

The total public sales were 1,471 shares of stock, $21,000 bonds and 29 subscription rights; total preceding Saturday, 8,714 shares of stock and 100 stock receipts; total same day last year, 5,584 shares of stock.

Closing bids and offers at the day's call were:

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Arsenal	$ 50	155	....
Exchange National	50	84	....
Fifth National	100	280	300
Pittsburgh Trust Cos.			
Fidelity Title & Trust Co.	100	400	443
Pittsburgh Trust Co.	100	510	540
Real Estate Trust Co.	100	....	180
Guarantee Trust Co.	100	....	145
Allegheny Banks.			
Bank of Central Savings	50	65½	....
D. S. F. & T. Co.	50	217	230
Allegheny Trust Co.	100	135	140
Insurance Cos.			
Allemannia	50	....	70
City	50	....	60
Illuminating Gas.			
South Side Gas Co.	25	....	22½
Natural Gas.			
P. N. G. & P. Co.	25	25⅜	26
Oil Cos.			
Hazelwood	50	....	50
Railways.			
Pleasant Valley	25	....	27
United Traction pfd.	50	50¼	....
Electric.			
Westinghouse seconds	50	73⅛	73⅝
Miscellaneous.			
American Window Glass Co.	100	55	55½
Do preferred	100	....	91
Chartiers Valley Water Co.	50	45	....
Consolidated Gas Co. pfd.	50	....	47
Consolidated Ice Co.	50	13	13¾
Do preferred	50	32	37½
Crucible Steel Co.	100	84¾	84⅞
Do preferred	100	86¼	86½
Monongahela River Coal Co.	50	13½	13¾
Do preferred	50	46¾	....
P., B. & L. E. R. R.	50	....	55½
Pittsburgh Brewing Co.	50	24½	24¾
Do preferred	50	43¼	44
Pittsburgh Coal Co.	100	27⅝	27¾
Do preferred	100	91	91¾
Philadelphia Co. pfd.	50	....	47
Union Switch & Signal Co.	50	72	....
National Fire Proofing Co.	50	34	34½
Do preferred	50	41	....
United States Steel	100	43⅜	43⅝
Do preferred	100	....	94
Monongahela River Coal	50	17	20
BONDS			
City Railways.			
B., K. & A. 5s	1991	115	....
Miscellaneous			
Monongahela L. & P. 5s	1949	108¾	....
Monongahela River Coal 6s	1949	116⅜	116¾
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1946	112	....

The following is a complete summary of the day's official transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange, showing the change in the closing selling prices, compared with the last preceding sales, the total sales of each security, the opening, high, low and closing prices, new high record and final bids and offers:

SECURITIES.	Total Sales.	Open	High.	Low.	Close	Bid.	Ask.	Change
Luster Mining	10	9½	9½	9½	9½	....	....	⅜+
Westinghouse Electric seconds	36	73½	73½	73½	73⅝	73	73⅝	⅛+
Consolidated Ice	20	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼	13	13¾	¼+
Do preferred	10	38	38	38	38	36	37½	¾+
Crucible Steel	50	24⅛	24⅜	24⅛	24⅜	24⅛	24⅝	⅜+
Do preferred	240	86	86	86	86	85	86	⅛+
United States Steel	110	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅜	43¾	⅜+
Do preferred	107	93⅞	94	93⅞	94	94	....	⅛+
Monongahela River Coal common	100	13½	13¾	13⅝	13⅝	13	....	⅛—
Pittsburgh Coal	500	27⅛	27½	27⅛	27½	27⅛	....	⅜+
Do preferred	70	91⅜	91⅜	91	91	91	....	....
Pittsburgh Brewing common	10	24½	24½	24½	24½	24⅛	24½	....
Philadelphia Company common	200	48	48	48	48	....	....	....
Total	1,471							
Monongahela River Coal Co. 6s	$10,000							
P., B. & L. E. R. R. con. 6s	11,000	116⅜	116⅜	116⅛	116⅛	116⅜	119⅜	....
Total	$21,000	119⅜	119⅜	119⅜	119⅜	....	....	⅜+
Farmers Deposit National Bank rights	29	*75	*75	*75	*75	*75	....	....

*Cash.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.
SATURDAY, Nov. 30, 1901.

Cattle—Receipts light and market steady. Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 pounds, $5 75@6 00; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 pounds, $5 50@5 70; good, 1,200 to 1,400 pounds, $5 15@5 45; tidy butchers, 1,000 to 1,100 pounds, $4 50@5 00; fair, 900 to 1,000 pounds, $4 00@4 50; common to good, 800 to 900 pounds, $2 75@3 75; choice fat cows, $4 00@4 00; bulls and stags, $2 00@4 00; common to fair fresh cows, $20 00@35 00; good fresh cows, $40 00@50 00.

Hogs—Receipts light, 100 cars on sale. Market active and 10c higher on heavy-weights. Extra prime heavies, $6 10@6 20; heavy mediums, $5 90@6 05; light mediums, $5 70@5 85; heavy Yorkers, $5 40@5 50; light Yorkers, $5 40@5 50; pigs, $5 20@5 30; roughs, $4 50@5 00.

Sheep and lambs—Supply light, 95 to 100 pounds, $3 40@3 50; good, 85 to 90 pounds, $3 10@3 35; mixed, 70 to 80 pounds, $2 50@3 00; culled and common, $1 00@2 00; yearlings, $2 50@3 75; calf lambs, $3 00@4 75; veal calves, $6 00@6 50.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 800 head; market steady; good to prime, $5 40@7 25; poor to medium, $3 00@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 35; cows, $1 25@4 75; heifers, $1 50@5 50; canners, $1 25@2 30; bulls, $2 00@4 75; calves, $2 50@5 00; Texas steers, $4 00@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 45,000 head; Monday, 45,000 head; left over, 4,500 head; 10 to 15c higher; mixed and butchers, $5 70@6 20; good to choice heavy, $5 75@6 30; rough heavy, $5 50@5 75; light, $5 70@6 05; bulk of sales, $5 70@6 00. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000 head; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $3 50@4 25; native lambs, $2 50@4 80; western lambs, $3 50@4 10.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 8 cars; market steady and unchanged. Veals, good, $6 50@7. Hogs—Receipts, 25 cars; market fairly active; choice, good, heavy, 225 to 250 lbs, $6 10@6 15; mixed and medium, $5 90@6; pigs, $5 30@5 35; rough, $5 20@5 85; stags, $3 75@4 50. Sheep and lambs—Supply, 22 cars; market firm for lambs; top, $4 00@5; others, $3 75@4 85; sheep steady; top mixed, $3 50@3 50; yearlings and handy wethers, $3 50@3 75; culls to fair, $1 75@3 25; Canada lambs, $4 75.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Beeves—No sales reported. Exports, 689 beeves and 6,721 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 13 head; 10c on sale, market quiet but steady. Few veals sold at $6 00@7 50; culls and buttermilks at $2 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,647 head; fair demand; sheep 25c higher; lambs 12½c stronger; sheep sold at $2 75@3 60; lambs sold at $4 40@4 15; culls, $3@3 25. Hogs—Receipts, 1,276 head; market firm.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—Hogs active and higher at $6 10@6 15. Cattle strong at $2 75@5 25. Calves steady at $7 25@8. Lambs strong at $3 50@4.

Consolidated Stock Exchange.

On the Consolidated stock exchange yesterday the posted sales were:

25	Pittsburgh Steel preferred 85¾
100	Pittsburgh Coal common 27½
160	United States Steel common 43⅜
50	United States Steel preferred 93⅞
50	Consolidated Ice preferred 38¼
100	Pittsburgh Coal preferred 91½
100	United States Steel common 43⅝

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	79¾	American Sugar	124⅝
Do preferred	100¾	Am. T. & T.	181
Boston & Albany	258	Dom. Iron & Steel	27⅞
Boston & Maine	185½	Mexican Central	19¾
Boston Elevated	165	United Fruit	97¼
N. Y., N. H. & H.	213½	U. S. Steel	43
Union Pacific	102⅝	Do preferred	93¼
Mexican Central	23½		

*Ex-dividend.

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Liberal liquidation in Diamond Match. Otherwise stocks were quiet. American Cattle Oil 79¾, American Can 7⅝, Northwest Ele. 38¾, Biscuit 42⅞, Match 12⅝¾, Union Traction 11¾, Do preferred 47.

THE WEEK'S SALES SHOWED A FALLING OFF.

The total public sales made and recorded upon the Pittsburgh stock exchange during the week (6 days) ending yesterday, were 26,810 shares of stock, $32,000 bonds, 565 stock receipts and 29 subscription rights. The total for the preceding week (6 days) was 26,686 shares of stock, $153,000 bonds and 1,407 stock receipts. For the same week (6 days only) last year, the total sales were 5,493 shares of stock and $11,000 bonds. The market was irregular but closed quite steady to firm, with a somewhat better feeling.

The following statement is a complete summary of the public recorded transactions on the Pittsburgh Stock exchange during the week beginning Monday, November 25, and ending with the sales of yesterday. It shows the total sales, opening, highest, lowest and closing prices, and the changes in the selling prices as compared with those of the preceding week and the nearest ones to that time:

STOCKS.	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Change
Monongahela National Bank	10	255	255	255	255	....
Allegheny Trust Co.	10	185	185	185	185	5 —
Equitable Trust Co.	20	180	180	180	180	5 —
South Side Trust Co.	5	100	100	100	100	1 —
Luster Mining	10	9¼	9½	9¼	9½	¼+
Consolidated Ice preferred	10	37	37	37	37	½+
Natural Gas of West Virginia	25	100¼	*100¾	100¼	100¼	¼+
Westinghouse Electric firsts	120	79	79	78¾	78¾	1¾+
Do seconds	5,985	74¼	*74⅝	74¼	74⅝	1¾+
P., B. & L. E. R.	1440	55¾	56¼	55¾	56¼	¾+
Do preferred	52	171½	171½	171½	171½	4½+
Citizens Traction	15	70	70	70	70	....
Consolidated Traction preferred	....	62	62	62	62	¼+
American Window Glass	200	53¼	53¾	53	53¼	¼+
Do preferred	25	91	91	91	91	¼+
Pittsburgh Plate Glass common	100	105½	105½	105½	105½	½—
United States Glass common	1,000	28	28	28	28	2 —
American Tin Plate preferred	25	66¾	67	65¾	67	1 +
Consolidated Ice common	640	18½	19	18	18¾	¼—
Do preferred	10	38	38	38	38	....
Crucible Steel	5,460	24¼	24¾	24¼	24¾	¼—
Do preferred	2,052	86¾	86¾	85¾	86¼	⅛—
United States Steel	870	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	⅜+
Do preferred	474	94	94	94	94	⅛+
Marsden common	170	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	....
Manufacturers Light & Heat	20	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾	½—
National Fire Proofing	910	34¾	35¼	34¾	35	¼—
Do preferred	351	42½	42½	41½	42	1 —
Monongahela River Coal	200	18¼	19¾	18¼	19¾	¾—
Do preferred	....	46	46	45	45	½—
Pittsburgh Coal	2,097	28¾	28¾	27¾	27¾	¾—
Do preferred	1,640	92¾	92¾	91¾	91¾	1 —
Pittsburgh Brewing	240	24½	24½	24½	24½	¼—
Do preferred	220	44	44	43¾	43¾	¼—
Philadelphia Company common	700	48	48	48	48	....
Pressed Steel Car	55	43	43	43	43	....
Do preferred	187	87	89	87	89	1½—
Union Switch & Signal common	200	70¾	71¾	70¼	72¾	2½+
Westinghouse Airbrake	5	174	174	174	174	6¾+
Total	26,510					
BONDS.						
Beaver Coal 5s	$2,000	103	103	103	103	....
B. C. Public Co. 5s	1,000	105½	105½	105½	105½	½+
Monongahela Light & Power 5s	1,000	105¾	105¾	105¾	105¾	¾—
Monongahela River Coal 6s	10,000	116⅜	116⅜	116⅜	116⅜	....
P., B. & L. E. R. con. 6s	11,000	119⅜	119⅜	119⅜	119⅜	¾+
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1,000	112	112	112	112	½+
Philadelphia Company 6s	1,000	112¼	112¾	112¼	112¾	¾+
Sharon Steel 5s	5,000	†100	†100	†100	†100	....
Total	$33,000					
RECEIPTS.						
Consolidated Traction	175	23	23¼	23	23¼	¼+
Do preferred	690	63¾	64¼	63¾	64¼	¼+
Total	865					
SUBSCRIPTION RIGHTS.						
Farmers Deposit National Bank	29	$75	$75	$75	$75	....

*New high record. ‡Ex-dividend. †And interest. ‖Cash.

CLOSING PRICES OF BONDS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The following are the closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	108½	Hock. Val. 4s	108
Do coupon	108½	M. & St. L. 1s	81⅝
Do 3s, reg.	108½	Mich. Cent. 5s	83¾
Do coupon	108¾	Do 1st inc.	81⅝
Do new 4s, reg.	139½	Mo. P. 1st, 4s	100¼
Do coupon	140¼	Do 2d, 4s	100¼
Do old 4s, reg.	112¾	Do 3d	100¼
Do coupon	112¾	*N. Y. C. lists	165¾
Do 5s, reg.	107½	Do gen. 5½s	109¾
Do coupon	107⅝	N. Y. C. 4s	106¼
Atch. gen. 4s	103¾	North. Pac. 4s	105⅝
Do 5s	93¾	Do 3s	72⅝
B. & O. 4s	96⅝	Nor. & W. 6s	134¾
Do 3½s	96⅝	Reading gen. 4s	104¾
Do conv. 4s	107	S. L. & I.M.con.5s	116½
*Canada So. 2ds	109	St. L. & S. F. 4s	97¾
Cent. of Ga. 5s	107	St. L. & S. F. Sts.	97
Do 1st Pref.	77	Do 2ds	79½
C. & O. 4½s	107¾	S. A. & A. P. 4s	82¾
C. & A. 3½s	80¼	South. Pac. 4s	95½
Ch. R. & Q. 4s	104¾	Southern Ry. 5s	120⅛
C., M. & St. P. 4s	112	T. St. L. & W. 4s	83½
*C. & N. con. 7s	142½	Union Pacific 4s	106⅜
C. R. I. & P. 4s	106⅝	Do conv. 4s	106⅝
C., C., C. & St. L. 4s	105¾	Wabash 1sts	116
Chicago Term. 4s	91¾	Do 2ds	111
Col. & So. 4s	89¾	Do debt B	62
*D. & R. G. 4s	103	*West Shore 4s	112⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	104¾	W. N. Y. & P. 5s	91¾
Do gen. 4s	90½	Wis. Cent. 4s	89⅝
F. W. & D.C.1sts	108⅝	Con. Tobacco 4s	64

*Bid. †Offered.

Express Stocks.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Express stocks closed as follows:

Adams	190	United States	90
American	200	Wells Fargo	180

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Electric stocks closed as follows:

General Electric	276	Mass. Elec. pfd.	94
Mass Electric	34¾		

Bank Notes Redeemed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $598,530; government receipts from internal revenue, $469,665; customs, $657,870; miscellaneous, $119,701; expenditures, $355,000.

New York "Curb" Market.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

Am. Hide & Lea.	4	N. Y. & V. Tran.	11
Do preferred	29½	Ohio Elevator	23½
Bay State Gas	3	Do preferred	82
Britt. Col. Cop.	11	R. Bak. Pow. pfd.	104½
Brook. Ferry Co.	17½	Standard Oil	630
Cent. Foundry	1	Tennessee Copper	14
Electric Boat	19	U. S. C. Iron P.	8
Do preferred	45	Do preferred	30
Electric Vehicle	1	Union Copper	4½
Do preferred	3	Sou. Steel com.	20¼
Elec. Pneumatic	1	Do preferred	54
General Carriage	1¼	American Can	18¼
Havana Com'cial	15	Do preferred	64½
Hudson River	20	North Sec. Co.	103
New. Am. Gas B.	105¾		

Boston Copper and Mining.

A. E. Masten & Co., 308 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure	20½	Oscoela	99¼
Amalgamated	75¼	Old Dominion	25
Arcadian	8	Parrott	54
Atlantic	28	Quincy	124
Baltic	44	Rhode Island	7¼
Calumet	620	Santa Fe Copper	3¼
Centennial	16	Trimountain	295
Cochiti	3¼	Tamarack	275
Copper Range	65	Utah	22
Elm River	2	Victoria	6¼
Franklin	13¾	Wolverine	55
Mohawk	49	Winona	54¾
Michigan	13	Ouanajuata	5

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Butter—Receipts, 4,407 packages; firm; state dairy, 18@23½c; creamery, 16@26½c; June creamery, 19@22c; factory, 12½@16c. Cheese—Receipts, 6,249 packages; steady; fancy, large, September, 10c; fancy, small, 10¾c; late made, best large, 9¼c; do small, 10@10¼c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,775 packages; quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 28@29c; western, at mark, 24@29c; southern do, 28@27c.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 30.—Butter firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 18@19c; fancy creamery, 25@26c; fancy ladle, 19@19c; fancy roll, 17@18c; good roll, 15@16c; store packed, 13@15c. Eggs firm and unchanged; fresh, 25@26c. Cheese firm and unchanged; large, 10@10¼c; medium, 10@11½c; small, 8¼@11c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Butter steady; creameries, 14@24½c; dairies, 15@22c. Cheese steady; twins, 9¼@9½c; Young Americas, 10@10½c; daisies, 10c. Eggs firm at 24c.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 30.—Butter firm but quiet; fancy western creamery, 26c; do nearby prints, 29c. Eggs firm; good demand; fresh nearby, 30c; do western, 30c; do southwestern, 28c; do southern, 26c. Cheese firm; New York full creams, fancy small, 10¾c; do do do, fair to choice, 9@10¼c.

Whisky.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—Whisky distillers' finished goods active on basis of $1.32.

NOVEMBER SALES WERE SOMEWHAT SMALLER.

The total public sales recorded upon the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange during the month of November, 1901, were 128,244 8-15 shares of stock, $134,000 bonds, $,134 stock receipts and 29 subscription rights. The total for the month of October, 1901, was 131,423 1-3 shares of stock and $858,000 bonds, while the total for the month of November, 1900, was 200,745.88 shares of stock, $677,000 bonds, 803 stock scrip and $27,500 allotments. The market during the month was quite irregular, but toward the close grew firmer, prices showing an upward trend. At the window, however, the market reacted and prices were shaded in many cases, considerably below the high points.

In the following statement is shown the total sales of securities made publicly on the Pittsburgh stock Exchange during the month of November, 1901, the opening, highest, lowest and closing selling prices, new high records and the changes in the selling prices, compared with those of the preceding month and the nearest ones to that time.

STOCKS.	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Change.
Allegheny National Bank	15	310	310	309	309	1 —
Citizens National Bank	25	80½	80½	80½	80½	1½—
Exchange National Bank	25	85	85	85	85	....
First National Bank, Allegheny	20	127¾	*127¾	127¾	127¾	2¾+
First National Bank of Sheraden, Pa.	10	116	116	116	116	....
Lincoln National Bank	130	3	3	3	3	⅛+
Monongahela National Bank	10	255	255	255	255	5 —
Ohio Valley Bank	20	125	125	125	125	....
Third National Bank, Pittsburgh	25	135½

COMMITTEE IS NOW COMPLETE

James P. McKinney and Councilman John H. Trimble Will Aid Vice Crusade.

VICE EXPOSURES ARE CONFIRMED

John Thresher, State Chairman of Christian Union Party, Praises Gazette for Exposing Law-Breakers—Tells of 300 Open Dives.

The committee which is to take charge of the vice crusade in Allegheny has been completed by the appointment of James P. McKinney and John H. Trimble in the places made vacant by the resignations of Albert A. Horne and J. Walter Hay. Two other prominent men are under consideration, but they have given no positive assurance that they will serve. The two men just appointed are representative men whose names have long been connected with the development of the business interests of Allegheny.

Mr. McKinney is treasurer of the McKinney Manufacturing Company, the largest manufacturing plant of hinges and butts in the United States. He is also a school director of the Fifth ward and connected with many business institutions of the city.

Mr. Trimble is a member of the firm of John H. Thimble & Brothers, contractors. He is a member of common council from the Sixth ward. Mr. Trimble was prominent during the bribery investigation of Allegheny councils by the manner in which he pushed the work of the committee into court when it seemed as though the matter would be dropped without making any attempt to prove the charges.

He has been a member of councils for many years and has the reputation of always being on the right side of a measure when the city's interests are concerned. Like Mr. McKinney, he has done much toward the improvement of the town in a business way. Now that both men have accepted the appointment on the committee, they intend to help the city just as much in its morals as they have heretofore done in business lines. Both men favor continuing the crusade until every den of vice is wiped out of the city for good.

Meetings are being held by the committee and evidence being taken which will result in every resort in the town being closed. It is the intention of the committee to secure enough evidence on which to convict before taking any action toward clearing the town of the resorts. Prominent men in business circles are lending their aid and have promised both financial and moral support. The Rev. Dr. John McNaugher says he has interviewed many men prominent in financial circles who indorse the action in strong terms and have promised their support in any action taken toward clearing the city of all dens.

Saturday night was very quiet in the vice-infected districts. But three arrests were made in the First and Fourth wards, two for drunkenness and one for disorderly conduct. This is a much smaller number than have usually been arrested on a Saturday night in these districts. There was but little traffic in the speakeasies and gambling joints during the night, consequently the arrests were few.

Most of the speakeasies were closed yesterday and the wards went dry. But the regular patrons of these places did not have to go without their drinks. Arrangements had been made previously and liquor was dispensed in other portions of the city.

The streets in the First and Fourth wards presented a deserted appearance, and only the stragglers tried to secure liquor in the speakeasies and clubs. The scene of operations had been transferred to the Fifth and Sixth wards and the eastern portion of the town. The clubs and speakeasies in these districts had prepared for an extra business, but before the day closed the supply was running low and the price was raised.

"Three Great Powers" was the subject of a discourse by John Thresher, state chairman of the United Christian party, yesterday at the Penn avenue Christian Union. Mr. Thresher in part said:

"The great nations in the world are ruled by three great powers. They are: The law, the Gospel, the press. Each power is needed. They are the great powers for good. They should work in perfect harmony. Nations in bondage to kings and sultans live in misery. They that do right need not fear the law, or the press, or even God.

"A new and welcome star is shining day and night over the Greater Pittsburgh. It is the star of unity. The church, the press and the people working for the common good of all.

"The Gazette is the maker of the new star. It has exposed the law breakers. As a result the church, the people, the law breakers and the law officers are aroused.

"The mission of the law officers is to enforce the law and arrest the offenders. If the officers did their duty The Gazette could not publish such an array of solid facts regarding the speakeasies and gambling dens of Allegheny. There are places in Allegheny even worse than those described in The Gazette.

"Two years since, with two prominent ministers, I went on several personal investigation tours. We found in round numbers about 300 dives in 3 dens in the two cities. They were open all day Sunday. At a low calculation over 3,000 young men spend more or less of Sunday in them. They all sell strong drink.

"The remedy for existing conditions is described in a letter sent to me by the Rev. John McNaugher, D. D., one of the faculty of the Allegheny Theological Seminary. Dr. McNaugher writes: 'The great need of the hour is the uniting of the forces of righteousness solidly against evil. When that can be done the victory is won.'"

Mr. Thresher commented on the varied forces of righteousness and said: "One of them is the press, when it fights for law, justice and the best interests of the people."

PLAY WAS MADE EARNEST.

Actress in New Britain Accidentally Shoots a Fellow Member of the "Ruling Passion" Co.

WATERBURY, CONN., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—A stray bullet from the revolver of Miss Lottie Church, playing the leading part in the "Ruling Passion" at the Lyceum at New Britain Saturday night, strayed into the flies and imbedded itself in the left leg of Hugh Cox, an actor. The bullet made an ugly wound which will lay him up for several days. Miss Church, who fires at the villain in the play, says she has not the least idea how the loaded cartridge came to be among the blanks.

A THRIFTY COOK.

Started Poor—Better Off Today Than Her Employer.

She was a poor girl when she came to Pittsburgh—but she was thrifty—Each week she has saved part of her wages. Deposited them in the Mercantile Trust Company, 413-415 Wood street—where her savings have earned 4 per cent interest. Once or twice she has made little investments—after asking the advice of officers of the trust company. Now she has $6,000 in cash—more money than her employer ever had at one time.

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ELKS HONOR THE MEMORY OF DEAD

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD IN PITTSBURGH AND VICINITY.

Impressive Exercises at the Alvin Theater Under Auspices of Pittsburgh Lodge No. 11—Allegheny Lodge No. 339 Met in the Third Ward School and Wilkinsburg Lodge No. 987 in Its Hall.

Pittsburgh lodge No. 11, B. P. O. E., honored the memomry of its departed members with impressive exercises in the Alvin theater last night. The theater was filled with members of the order, their relatives and friends. The stage was beautifully decorated with a group of palms at each end, in the center of each group being a large elk's head, the emblem of the order.

A particularly impressive feature of the ceremonies was the display, in consecutive order, of the photograph of every deceased member of the lodge, thrown by a steoreopticon upon a large canvass stretched across the stage. The house was darkened and while the pictures were being shown the orchestra played softly.

The opening of the services was conducted by Exalted Ruler James E. O'Connell and subordinate officers. Secretary Fred Fuhrer called the roll of deceased members. During the roll call S. Finklestein played a cornet solo, "Vacant Chair."

Prayer was delivered by the chaplain the Rev. L. F. Cole. A soprano solo, "Sleep Well," was given by Miss Grace Cready. The eulogy, "Our Dead Brothers," was pronounced by Edward James Small.

The members deceased during the past year were Eugene Gardner, Michael F. Huston, Robert G. MacGonigle and Perry C. Rowlen. The speaker mentioned the coincidence that the four deceased members had all united with the lodge within the same year and had all died within the same year. David T. Moore sang the solo, "The New-Born King" with a rich baritone voice. "The Haunted Chambers," a selection of Byron W. King, was read by Miss Bertha Fuhrer. A quartet composed of Mrs. Edwin Miller, Mrs. James Sloan, Louis Vierheller and David T. Moore sang "I Have Longed for Salvation," and Miss Carrie Schroth, soprano, sang "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." An eloquent address upon the principles of the order was delivered by Wood N. Carr of Uniontown lodge No. 370. David T. Moore sang a solo, "Babylon." The doxology and benediction concluded the services.

The memorial services of Allegheny lodge No. 339 were held last night in the hall of the Third ward school, Allegheny. The members of the lodge marched in at 8 o'clock and occupied the seats reserved for them in the center of the hall.

The services were opened by the Templer quintet singing "I'm a Pilgrim." Prayer was made by the Rev. John A. Jayne, chaplain of the lodge. This was followed by "When Old Friends Were Here," rendered by the quintet. The general eulogy was delivered by Levi McQuiston, P. E. R., of Butler lodge No. 170.

The eulogy on the death of Harry Knorr, the only member of the lodge who died during the past year, was delivered by the Rev. John A. Jayne. Thomas Griffiths rendered a cornet solo, "Beyond the Gates of Paradise."

Wilkinsburg lodge No. 987 held memorial services at their hall in Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg. There were about 300 present. The soloists of the evening were Mrs. Carrie A. Baker, Miss Charlotte Wagner, Harry P. Brokett and J. G. Jones. The meeting was addressed by the Rev. Dr. D. F. Boyle and the Rev. John A. Burnett.

The McKeesport lodge of Elks held memorial services yesterday. The meeting was attended by a crowd of nearly 1,000 people, and was addressed by William M. Benham of Pittsburgh and A. M. Stentz of McKeesport.

SCIENTISTS TO CO-OPERATE.

New System of University Extension Work Devised by Prof. James of Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Prof. Edmund J. James of the University of Chicago has devised a new form of university extension work which consists in the co-operation of distinguished specialties from several different universities to present the salient facts of their respective sciences by combined effort.

The first experiment in this field will be a course of lectures on modern social and economic problems by a number of men who are eminent authorities in various universities. The men engaged are: Henry Carter Adams, University of Michigan; Samuel M. Lindsey, University of Pennsylvania; H. H. Powers, Cornell university; Edward A. Ross, University of Nebraska; Albion W. Small, University of Chicago; Walter A. Wyckoff, Princeton university.

The cities selected for the first experiment are Milwaukee, Columbus, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Detroit and Indianapolis. Men from other universities representing different subjects will be gradually enlisted and new cities will be selected.

Killed by Bursting Flywheel.

MUSKEGON, MICH., Dec. 1.—James Tate, engineer, was killed by the bursting of a flywheel at the plant of the Central Paper Company here today. The building was damaged $3,000, and 150 men will be thrown out of employment for some time.

AMERICAN GOLD BADLY WANTED

High Premiums Demanded at Manila Cause Loss and Inconvenience.

LOOKING TO CONGRESS FOR RELIEF

English Secretary of Sixto Lopez, Who Refused to Take Oath of Allegiance, Charged With Aiding the Insurrection.

MANILA, Dec. 1.—The financial situation in the Philippine islands is causing considerable alarm. In an interview published in Manila, Henry C. Ide, chief of the department of finance and justice, referred to the probable enforcement of an alteration in the immediate future of the present government parity of two Mexican dollars for one gold dollar. The United States postoffice here now refuses, except to government employes, to issue money orders in exchange for Mexican silver. The banks of Manila have been making from 6 to 8 per cent on exchange. Merchants and others are forced to carry their accounts in Mexican silver. The commercial community had relied upon the United States Philippine commission to continue the situation of two Mexican dollars for one gold dollar, which the commission itself created. The commission is unable to act in the matter without the authority of congress. The authorization has been requested. Charles A. Conant, special commissioner of the war department to investigate the state of coinage and banking in the Philippines and report to the secretary of war recommendations for remedial legislation, who is now in Washington, was the bearer of the commission's views on this matter.

The stores of Manila are compelled to accept two Mexican dollars for one gold dollar, while Chinese speculators are paying as high as 6 per cent premium in American paper money for American gold.

Local bankers say that if the salaries of all insular employes were paid in the local or Mexican currency, independently of the fluctuations of this currency, and if the government had not attempted to enforce a rate of exchange, the present financial situation would never have arisen.

Mr. Patterson, the Englishman acting as secretary to Sixto Lopez, Aguinaldo's agent, who refused to take the oath of allegiance to the United States when he landed at Manila, is awaiting deportation from the islands as a result of this refusal. Patterson had been accorded temporary liberty at the request of the British consul at Manila. Patterson, through his lawyers, secured a writ of habeas corpus returnable next Tuesday. The British consul withdrew his protection from Patterson and the latter has been arrested. W. Morgan Shuster, customs collector for the Philippines, declaring that he had evidence of incriminating correspondence by Patterson and that he has been aiding the Filipino insurrection. Bail for Patterson was refused.

Gen. Smith has cabled Quartermaster General Humphrey that he believes the United States army transport Wright (formerly called the Bay State), which struck an uncharted rock last week at the entrance of San Jacinto harbor and sank in 15 feet of water, may be saved with the aid of a powerful tug and divers. Gen. Smith is of the opinion the Wright struck upon rocks which had recently been cast up by volcanic disturbance.

SOLDIERS HOME AGAIN.

Transport Buford Brings Eight Companies of the 23d Infantry and Number of Officers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The United States transport Buford arrived today from Manila with eight companies of the Twenty-third United States infantry, Companies A to H. 901 enlisted men, noncommissioned staff and band and 87 officers, under command of Col. J. Milton Thompson. There were also 115 discharged soldiers and government employes on board. The men are a fine, robust lot, in good spirits and glad to get home.

Among those who are on board are: Col. J. Milton Thompson, Majs. James and Hodges, Capts. W. A. Nicholls, William H. Sage, R. R. Stevens, R. G. Croxton, Samuel Seay, Jr., J. L. Hines and H. L. Laubach; Lieuts. G. S. Goodale, A. T. Ovenshine, H. C. Bonnecastle, I. A. Saxton, W. T. Merry, William A. Kent, W. W. McCannon, Jr., Arthur P. Watts, W. K. Armstrong, John W. Norwood, George A. Herbert and J. A. Moore and Chapiain J. H. Sutherland, all of the Twenty-third United States infantry; Surgeon Maj. H. S. T. Harris, Capt. E. M. Suples. Fourteenth United States cavalry, Capt. F. G. Stritsinger, Jr., Twenty-seventh United States infantry; Capt. O. H. Graham, pay department; Lieut. H. B. Ferguson, engineer corps; S. F. Bottoms, artillery corps; L. S. D. Rucker, Jr., Sixteenth infantry; Harrison Hall, artillery corps; Fitzhugh Lee, Jr., Twelfth cavalry; Grayson V. Heidle, Third cavalry; A. S. Cowan, Fourteenth infantry, and a number of civilians and wives and families of various officers.

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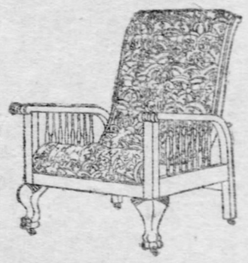

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(No. 245.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the purchase of two (2) fifteen (15) million gallon pumping engines, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at Montrose pumping station, for the bureau of water. Instructing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the purchase of two (2) fifteen (15) million gallon pumping engines, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at Montrose pumping station, for the bureau of water, in accordance with the specifications prepared by and on file in the office of the director of the department of public works, is hereby authorized.

The city recorder and the said director are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense of the above improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JOHN R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
12021

OFFICE OF CITY CLERKS.
City of Allegheny, Pa., Nov. 22, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the City of Allegheny on the 20th day of November, 1901, and was referred to committee on public works.

LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading of Lapish road, Eleventh ward, from Benton avenue to the eastern end of the road, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading of Lapish road, Eleventh ward, from Benton avenue to the eastern end of the road is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Section 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
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JOHN R. HENRICKS,
President Pro Tem. of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JOHN R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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(No. 248.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a lateral sewer on Burgess street, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Maple avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a lateral sewer on Burgess street, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Maple avenue, and is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the city recorder and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Section 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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(No. 247.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the purchase of one (1) five (5) million gallon pumping engine, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Howard street pumping station, for the bureau of water. Instructing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the purchase of one (1) five (5) million gallon pumping engine, with the excavations and foundations for the same, to be erected at the Howard street pumping station, for the bureau of water, in accordance with the specifications prepared by and on file in the office of the director of the department of public works, is hereby authorized.

The city recorder and the said director are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense of the above improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1901.

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The city recorder and the said director are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

Sec. 2. The cost and expense of the above improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "water bonds."

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City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., November 27, A. D. 1901. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JOHN R. MURPHY, City Recorder.
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(No. 253.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing Frank S. Stalder to construct a sewer on an unnamed 20-foot alley, Tenth ward, from Linwood avenue sewer to an unnamed 20-foot alley running from Loray street to Hawkins avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Frank S. Stalder is hereby authorized to construct, at his own cost and expense, an adequate sewer on an unnamed twenty (20) foot alley, Tenth ward, from Linwood avenue sewer to an unnamed twenty (20) foot alley running from Loray street to Hawkins avenue; said sewer to be constructed under the supervision and subject to the approval of the director of the department of public works, it being expressly understood and agreed that said Frank S. Stalder shall, upon the completion of said sewer, by a written instrument dedicate the same without stipulations or reservation to the city of Allegheny.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 21st day of November, A. D. 1900.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

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